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WEEKLY NEW ERA.

ONE DOLLAR A YEAR.

HOPKINSVILLE, CHRISTIAN COUNTY, KENTUCKY, FRIDAY, JANUARY 10 1903

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POWELL INDICTED AS A NIGHT RIDER DETAILS ARE SENT GUARD OF KENTUCKY

CHARGED WITH BEING MEMBER OF BAND WHICH INVADED HOPKINSVILLE ON NIGHT OF DECEMBER 6.

Special Term Of Christian Circuit Court Is Adjourned After Report of Grand Jury Is Received.—No Bill in Crenshaw Case and He Is Still Held Under His \$2000 Bond.

The special term of the Christian circuit court, chiefly called for the purpose of investigating the night rider raid on Hopkinsville Dec. 6-7, 1902, was formally adjourned Wednesday afternoon by Judge Thomas P. Cook, after receiving from the jury its final report, together with a request to be discharged.

One Indictment.

One indictment in connection with the raid was returned, this being against Geo. B. Powell, a well known and well-to-do farmer of Fruit Hill, North Christian, charging him with "confederating with others to destroy and destroying real and personal property." Powell was one of the "day riders," who waited upon the tobacco men here in November, and was one of the panel from which the grand jury just adjourned was made up. He sat with the others, but when twelve names were drawn from the whole panel, his name was left in the hat. He is about forty-five years of age and has a wife and five children. He owns a five hundred acre farm. Mr. Powell is a member of the Christian county executive committee of the Planters' Protective association.

Claims Alibi.

Mr. Powell, learning of the indictment, came here this morning and surrendered to the authorities. He had no difficulty in arranging the bond of \$1,000, the following citizens signing the paper: M. W. Barnes, T. J. Tate, N. O. King, H. C. Myers, S. T. Henderson, G. L. Rogers, J. T. Walker and W. W. Johnson. He claims, it is understood, that he is able to furnish an alibi, and that on the night of the raid he was confined to his bed by a broken rib, caused several days before by a frigid cold.

The grand jury declined to indict in the case of Herman Richard Crenshaw and, on motion of Commonwealth's Attorney Smith, he was held over under his present bond to the next grand jury. The official order in this matter follows:

Commonwealth of Kentucky vs. Herman Richard Crenshaw, charged with confederating with others to destroy property, etc. The minutes of said case are returned endorsed. "We the jury, having passed upon the case of Herman Richard Crenshaw, dismissed."

"N. A. BARNETT, Foreman." On motion of commonwealth's attorney, this case is ordered continued until February term of court, and defendant is ordered held on his bond of \$2,000, executed in the Christian county court, to answer any indictment that may be returned against him.

Jurors' Reports.

Following are the grand jury's reports to the court:

Christian Circuit Court.

To Hon. Thos. P. Cook, Judge: The grand jury hereby reports to the court that, although this is the sixth day of sitting, we have in connection with the raid upon Hopkinsville on December 6-7, last, considered only two cases, viz: The commonwealth of Kentucky vs. G. B. Powell, and the commonwealth of Kentucky vs. Herman Richard Crenshaw; for the reason that we were unable to get a copy of any other testimony taken by Hon. Mott Ayres, fire marshal, in his investigations of said raid until yesterday. The testimony was expressed from Louisville, Ky., and received by the commonwealth's attorney here yesterday and submitted to us, but we have not yet had opportunity to read it fully and it is necessary for us to have further time to examine it.

N. A. BARNETT, Foreman.

The foregoing report was made Wednesday morning, and in the afternoon the following and final report was made:

Christian Circuit Court.

To Hon. Thos. P. Cook, Judge:

Dear Sir:—We, the grand jury, desire to report to the court that since we were impaneled on January 2nd, 1903, we have investigated every specific case and returned an indictment therein, which was embraced in the call for this term, as shown by our report to the court this morning.

We have also investigated the cases of Herman Richard Crenshaw and G. B. Powell, charged with being in the raid upon Hopkinsville Dec. 6-7, 1902. These two cases were submitted to us by the fire marshal Mr. Ayres. We received a list of the witnesses from the fire marshal on Saturday evening, last. There was no testimony or information submitted with the said list to indicate whether they were important or not. We investigated that list, but felt that we were unable to proceed intelligently with it until we received a copy of the testimony taken by the said fire marshal in his investigation of the raid upon Hopkinsville and hence issued no subpoenas for the said witnesses before receiving said testimony. We did not receive a copy of the testimony taken by the fire marshal in any case except the two cases of Crenshaw and Powell until eleven o'clock yesterday, January 7th. Since receiving a copy of the said testimony taken by the said fire marshal we have read every word of same, and same is the testimony of most of the witnesses submitted in the said list to us on Saturday. After careful consideration and careful reading of all of said testimony we did not find sufficient proof in all of it to make a charge against any person of being a member of the mob that raided Hopkinsville, nor we do not find sufficient proof therein to start an investigation against any one.

Feeling therefore, that we have fully completed the investigation of all the cases submitted to us by the fire marshal or contained in the copy of the testimony furnished us by him; and having no further information before us, we desire to turn over the said testimony to the court for reference to a future grand jury and be discharged.

N. A. Barnett, C. T. Yancey, J. L. Rogers, S. B. Wright, W. H. Butler, S. A. Wilson, J. R. Kelly, B. P. Armstrong, P. T. Carpenter, D. J. McCord, O. A. West, J. B. Dade.

We, the undersigned officers, say we were present and read and heard read all the testimony above referred to, and know the above statement to be true.

DENNY P. SMITH, Commonwealth's Attorney.
JOHN C. DUFFY, County Attorney.

It is stated that the indictment of George B. Powell was on the testimony of a witness who swore to his positive identification as one of the raiders and that the vote was unanimous. One of the jurors is a first cousin of Powell while another is closely connected with him by marriage.

Indictments Returned.

Following is the list of the indictments returned by the grand jury: G. B. Powell, confederating with others to destroy and destroying real and personal property.

W. P. Winfree, Jr., willful murder Chapel Hatchet, col., willful murder.

Melvin Powell, involuntary manslaughter.

R. M. Greenfield, cutting in sudden heat and passion.

Will Brent, malicious shooting.

John Fox, chicken stealing.

Ed Wade, hog stealing, 4 cases.

U. D. C. Meeting.

The United Daughters of the Confederacy will hold a meeting at the Hotel Latham at 8 o'clock p. m. next Saturday.

TO LEBANON AND CYNTHIANA TO PROTECT PROPERTY.

Now Feared That the Burley District Will Be Scene of Night Rider Invasions.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Jan. 9.—Gov. Willson last night ordered ten militiamen from Louisville to go to Lebanon to guard the American tobacco warehouse and also directed ten soldiers of the Cynthiana company to report to the mayor of that town to protect tobacco property. A Gatling gun was also ordered sent to Lexington last night, after a conference held this afternoon with the Lexington officials.

It begins to look like the burley district, which has heretofore been lawabiding, is on the eve of a series of night riding events equal to the dark tobacco outrages in western Kentucky.

The raids by Night Riders on towns in Fleming and Bath counties are the first that have occurred in the burley district and arouse the fear the Night Riders will now make this great and fertile district the scene of depredations that heretofore have been confined to the "black patch." If they do, it means an extension of the tobacco war to a scale far beyond that on which it has heretofore been conducted.

The burley district is composed of fifty-five counties in central and northern Kentucky, including the blue grass region and some of the best land in the state. The Burley Tobacco Society has over 30,000 members. It was the selling committee of this organization that conducted the negotiations with the American Tobacco company at Winchester for the sale of 60,000 hogsheads of the 1902 crop which fell through after the company had made an offer of 12 cents a pound for 10,000 hogsheads. Heretofore there have been no outbreaks in the burley district though the "peaceful armies" have marched through Mason and adjoining counties, and minor depredations have been committed. If the raids begin here it is feared they will surpass those that have been conducted in the black patch.

Efforts have been made to arrange a meeting between representatives of the society and President Duke of the American Tobacco company with a view to bringing a settlement. No positive announcement of such a meeting has been made, however.

BARNETT RESIGNS

As President of the American Society of Equity.

FRANKFORT, KY., Jan. 9.—C. M. Barnett, after a conference with Gov. Willson and Auditor James today announced that he had resigned as president of the American Society of Equity. He said he would uphold the law under his oath as fire marshal.

Will Wed.

A license has been issued for the marriage of Franklin E. Barefield, of Lyon county, and Miss Bertha A. Burgess, of this county. It is said that the ceremony will be solemnized by Squire H. B. Clark at his home near Gracely next Sunday morning at 10 o'clock.

PETITION FOR PARDON.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Jan. 9.—A statement to the public issued by Caleb Powers, in which he asks the people to sign a petition to Gov. Willson for his pardon on the main ground that he was tried unfairly three times and at his last trial ten jurors asked for his acquittal. A committee composed of four Democrats and three Republicans has charge of the petition. The petition will be circulated among the women as well as men.

MAY BE REORGANIZED UNDER THE DICK LAW.

Governor Willson Has Appointed a Commission of Three Officers to Make an Investigation.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Jan. 9.—A complete reorganization of the Kentucky state guard may follow from an act of the governor. He has named a commission of three officers in the guard to investigate the condition of the guard thoroughly and determine what, if anything, is wrong with the military arm of the state. The commission is composed of Capt. Harry Grinstead, of the First Kentucky; Maj. Allan Gilmore, of the Second Kentucky, and Maj. E. B. Bassett, of the Third Kentucky.

It is said that Kentucky has never received her full share of the United States government allowance to the militia and the reason was that the guard was not kept up to the mark. It is charged by some that the companies are allowed to go down in numbers as well as in the character of the recruits, and that the guard is not in good condition. The commission of officers will look into the charges and on their report will depend the action of the governor regarding the future plans of the militia. Noel Gaines has been selected to act with the commission.

WILL IS PROBATE

DISTRIBUTION OF THE ESTATE OF LATE B. D. LACKEY.

The will of B. D. Lackey, of Pembroke, has been probated in the county court. The instrument is dated November 2, 1902, and is signed by J. H. Pendleton and W. A. Lackey as witnesses. The widow, Mrs. Alice Lackey, is left her lawful portion, after which the estate is to be equally divided between the three children, Mrs. Ellen Armistead, Ed. Stuart Lackey and B. Slaughter Lackey. The widow and B. Slaughter Lackey are named as executors without bond.

The will of Smith Powell, of Beverly, has also been probated. This is one of the briefest documents of the kind ever lodged in the office of the county court. It covers only one sheet of ordinary note paper and is dated Dec. 17, 1902, and is witnessed by John Powell and Hugh Seargent. After stating that all of the property is to go to his widow, the instrument closes with "I want my wife to do as she likes with it all."

Broadus-Morrow.

Mrs. Mamie E. Broadus, of this city, and Mr. T. W. Morrow, of near Elkton, were married last night at 7 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Broadus on South Virginia street. Rev. Millard A. Jenkins, of the Baptist church, performed the ceremony. Mr. Morrow is a prosperous farmer, but has made arrangements to remove to this city and engage in business. Mrs. Broadus is the widow of the late L. J. Broadus, who died in this city about five years ago.

To the Public.

The impression has gone out by newspaper reports and otherwise that the insurance companies have quit writing insurance on tobacco in this city. This is a mistake and is misleading and calculated to injure our tobacco market. There are several agencies here, writing tobacco in this city and vicinity. Dealers, rehandlers and warehousemen have been able so far to get all the insurance they want. We write this in order to correct the wrong impression which has gone out and to ask the farmers to bring on their tobacco. There is no trouble about getting insurance. Respectfully,
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MANY DESCENDANTS COURTHOUSE BURNS

MOURN THE LOSS OF MRS. ELEANORA REICHAERT.

Nonagenarian Passes Away at the Home of Her Daughter Here.—Burial in Louisville.

Mrs. Eleanora Reichart died at 1:30 o'clock this morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. C. E. West, on Liberty and Fifth streets. She was ninety-two years of age and death was due to senility. She was born in Germany. Three children, Mrs. West, of Hopkinsville, Mrs. Geiger, of Louisville, and Prof. August Reichart, of Weatherford, Texas, survive her. Her death is also mourned by twenty-eight grandchildren and four great grandchildren. The body will be taken to Louisville for interment.

PERSONALS.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hill and family have moved to Nashville, Tenn., to reside.

Miss Ellen Pursley, of Nashville, Tenn., is visiting relatives in the city.

T. J. McReynolds has returned from a visit to Decatur, Ill.

Clarence Blakemore is spending the week at Gracely.

Dr. and Mrs. N. S. West are in Nashville.

Mayors of cities of the fourth class met in Frankfort and adjourned for one week to prepare bills for submission to the general assembly.

COURTHOUSE BURNS

CALHOUN, Ky., Jan. 9.—The McLean court house was burned last night, with all records, by fire of unknown origin. Loss \$40,000, with \$10,000 insurance.

A. S. OF E. MEETING.

HENDERSON, Ky., Jan. 9.—In the state meeting of the American Society of Equity, President Hancock denounced lawlessness and said no equity buyers are night riders. Ex-President Everitt is here and will speak this afternoon, though his presence caused a scrap. The society adopted a resolution calling for a memorial to congress asking that some measures be taken toward curbing the operations of the tobacco trust.

Will Practice Here.

Dr. C. L. Broadus has removed to Hopkinsville from Wallonia to practice the profession of medicine. He is a successful physician of twenty-three years experience, and a graduate of Vanderbilt university. His family occupies a residence on Jessup's avenue. Dr. Broadus already has many friends here who are glad to welcome him to the city.

James Moore Lodge.

Dec 27, James Moore Lodge No. 230 F. and A. M., elected the following officers for the year 1903:

W. B. Blane, W. M.
John Southall, C. W.
J. H. Barber, J. W.
J. B. Walker, Treas.
John Knight, Sec.
Butler Shelton, C. D.
E. A. Caudle, J. D.
F. M. Lewis, S. and E.

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RAID RUSSELLVILLE

Night Riders, Masked and Armed, Invade Logan's Capital, Shoot and Wound Citizens and Destroy Property.

LOSSES WILL AGGREGATE THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS

Torches Applied to Tobacco Houses of American Snuff Co. and T. D. Lockett & Co. and the Flames Spread to Other Buildings.

TOOK COMPLETE POSSESSION OF TOWN AND KEPT THE AIR FILLED WITH SHOTS

WOUNDED.

J. R. McLEAN, Merchant, Russellville, Kentucky.
J. HENRY MOSELEY, Merchant, Russellville, Kentucky.
DR. CHARLES ROBERTS, Physician, Evansville, Indiana.

THE LOSSES.

Lockett-Wake Tobacco Company.....	\$15,000
American Snuff Company.....	15,000
Roberts & Brown Planing Mill.....	10,000
Alfred Underwood's Grocery.....	1,500
King & Proctor's Livery Stable.....	1,000
Joshua Knowles' cottage.....	500
Coal office and other houses.....	1,000
	\$44,000

RUSSELLVILLE, Ky., Jan. 3.—Night Riders raided this city between 12:30 and one o'clock this morning, terrorized the community and committed terrible deeds of outlawry.

Three men were wounded.

The masked scoundrels applied the torch to two large tobacco houses, neither of which was an association concern, and the flames, spreading to other property, caused a conflagration which threatened the destruction of a large portion of the city and caused a loss of many thousands of dollars.

Rode Into Town.

The desperadoes, masked or disguised, rode into the city on the Nashville road. Their plans had carefully been prearranged and every man apparently knew just what would be his part of the crimes to be committed.

In a very few minutes, the members of the gang were in practically full possession of the streets.

Taken In Charge.

The police station, fire department, telephone office and other places were placed under guard. The electric light company's plant was also put out of commission.

Firing their guns and pistols in the air to intimidate the citizens, the Night Riders galloped to the factories of Frank G. Wake & Company and Mountain Pitt. By the abundant use of coal oil and combustibles they made their work sure, setting fire to the buildings in numerous places.

Citizens who had the temerity to appear in range of their weapons were fired upon.

Shot In Face.

Dr. Charles Roberts, of Evansville, Ind., a visitor in the city, was shot in the face with bird shot. He was not seriously wounded. J. R. McLean, a merchant, and J. Henry Moseley, a business man, were slightly wounded with bird shot.

While the air was full of shots during the invasion of the riders, houses were not indiscriminately riddled with bullets as in the Hopkinsville raid. A few houses were shot up.

of the houses burned was

big factory of the American Snuff company and contained a large amount of tobacco, which was purchased by the local representative, Mountain Pitt. The other building was a large independent tobacco house, controlled by T. D. Lockett & Co., of Clarksville, Tenn., being represented in Logan county by Wake & Co.

Other Property Destroyed.

The planing mill plant with its lumber yard, of Roberts & Brown was soon in a blaze. The office of Standard Oil company, a grocery, King & Proctor's livery stable and two negro tenement houses were burned.

The flames spread rapidly and soon other buildings were on fire and as soon as the Night Riders left the scene citizens began work to save their homes and places of business from being burned down.

The Losses.

The Lockett-Wake tobacco company's warehouse contained four hundred thousand pounds of tobacco and the loss is \$15,000. The American Snuff company's loss is placed at the same figures. The planing mill burned was valued at \$10,000. Among other losses were: Alfred Underwood's grocery, \$1,500; King & Proctor's stable, \$1,000; Joshua Knowles' cottage, \$500. Several cabins and Clark's coal yard sustained about \$1,000 loss.

The Night Riders first proceeded toward the Wake & Co. warehouse which was fired. The party then started for the American Snuff warehouse in the east part of the town. It suffered a similar fate.

A number of shots were fired, as citizens raised their windows and looked out, aroused by the invasion. They were met by gruff commands to stay inside and shots in the air. The telephone office was entered at the start, and the young lady operator told to keep quiet and she would receive no hurt.

Left Town.

There were seventy-five or one hundred men in the band, and they left town on the Nashville road. The citizens, devoting all their time to saving the town from the flames,

made no effort to chase the riders. Loss is Heavy.

At 8 o'clock, the fire was under control. The loss was roughly estimated at \$50,000.

It is said that the Night Riders experienced practically little difficulty in accomplishing their designs, as at the time of their coming not a soul was upon the streets, and before the citizens were aroused the warehouses were in a light blaze.

Special Term.

The officials of Logan county and of the Logan circuit court sent a message this morning to Gov. Willson stating that a special term of court would be called at once to investigate the raid.

Going to Russellville.

State Fire Marshal Mott Ayres will leave this afternoon at 5:18 for Russellville. One of the fire marshal's men is already on the ground and will be prepared to make a complete report to Col. Ayres as soon as he arrives. When interviewed this morning Col. Ayres stated that he could not tell at this time whether he would go into an investigation at Russellville or leave it to his successor, Cicero Barnett. If the developments are such as to warrant a court of inquiry, Col. Ayres will go into the matter at once but if not he will not take it up.

Adjutant General P. P. Johnston, who arrived yesterday morning, left last night for Frankfort.

GOES AFTER GERMS.

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Mr. Buckner Honored.

At an examination of salesmen and graders of the Planters' Protective association, held at Guthrie, and conducted by four expert tobacco men, for the purpose of testing qualification in grading types, S. G. Buckner, salesman of the Hopkinsville market, received the second highest mark for his proficiency.

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KILLED BY A TRAIN

AWFUL FATE OF FORMER RESIDENT OF COUNTY

Relatives in the city have been notified of the death of Mrs. Annie E. Smith, of Berkeley, Cal., a suburb of San Francisco. She was run over and killed by a train on the Southern Pacific railroad. Mrs. Smith was a native of Christian county and a daughter of the late James Casky, a pioneer citizen for whom the town of Casky was named, and the widow of the Rev. M. O. Smith, a prominent Cumberland Presbyterian minister.

MAKES LIFE MISERABLE

Troubles That Keep Half the Hopkinsville Doctors Busy.

For the sake of your personal welfare, just think a moment about the process of digesting food.

There are certain secretions called gastric juices that act upon the food after it is swallowed and change all the nutrition in it into life-giving blood.

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Half of the prescriptions the Hopkinsville doctors write are for troubles that result directly from a weakened stomach. Strengthen the stomach muscles, increase the secretion of gastric juices, and you will find that common afflictions—indigestion, with its headaches, dizziness, depression of spirits, spots before the eyes, nervousness, sleeplessness and general debility—have been overcome.

If Mi-o-na did not have an unusually curative effect in stomach disorders, it could not be sold on the guarantee given by L. L. Elgin to refund the money unless it does all that is claimed for it. He gives an absolute, unqualified guarantee with every 50-cent box of Mi-o-na that the money will be refunded unless the medicine cures. He takes the whole risk, and you certainly can afford to get Mi-o-na from them on this plan.

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Trouble and Never Suspect it.

Prevalence of Kidney Disease.

Most people do not realize the alarming increase and remarkable prevalence of kidney disease. While kidney disorders are the most common diseases that prevail, they are almost the last recognized by patient and physicians, who content themselves with doctoring the effects, while the original disease undermines the system.

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Statement is Made by Commonwealth Attorney Smith Concerning Certain Published Statements.

Commonwealth's Attorney Denny P. Smith made the following statement today for publication in the New Era: "It is not true, as stated in some of the papers, that Gov. Willson's plan to appoint new officers to investigate the raid on Hopkinsville and prosecute the Night Riders was changed because I refused to withdraw for the appointment of a pro tem. commonwealth's attorney. Gov. Willson never requested me to give way and allow him to appoint a man in my place nor did any one else ever do so. I have never had information that the governor wanted me to vacate my office for another in this investigation. I have had nothing to do with Gov. Willson's plans directly or indirectly. The entire use of my name in this matter has been without my authority and without knowledge on my part that it was going to be used. However, if I had been requested to withdraw for the appointment of a pro tem officer, I should not have felt at liberty to do so, and would not have done so because the law places upon me the duty to investigate the guilty parties if I can secure indictments and I shall most certainly do so. A violation of the law is a violation, and it matters little to me whether the offender be a 'Night Rider,' a trust manipulator or a common thief. I have the same remedy for all, if the proof can be found—the cold penalties of the law."

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Do you want a position as Cashier, Clerk, Bookkeeper, Stenographer, Telegrapher or Typist? If so, call or write at once, as we have placed all of our pupils and friends who have applied to us for help and are now in position to place you if you want our help.

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BIG JANUARY PANIC SALE

OF Men's, Boys and Children's Clothing, Hats, Shoes and Men's Furnishings. Beginning Friday Jan. 18th, 1908, and will last 21 days. No carrying over of stock in this store--a clean, clear, determined wind-up of a prosperous season. **EVERYTHING MUST GO.** Doors open promptly at 8 o'clock Saturday, Jan. 18, and positively no goods sold at these prices before that time and date.

Sale Begins Friday, Jan. 18th. Everything Goes!



Clothing

Any man who expects to continue wearing clothing or who has a few boys to keep covered cannot afford to miss this sale.

Children's Jackets and Pants ages 3, 4, 5, 6, good value for \$1, Panic Price	69c
Children's Jackets and Pants ages 7 to 14, worth \$1.50, Panic Price	1.13
Children's Corduroy Jackets and Pants, 7 to 14, worth \$3, Panic Price	1.18
Your choice of all of our \$5, \$6 and \$6.50 Jackets and Pants	3.69
18 Boys long pants suits, old styles, 14 to 18, worth \$5, \$7.50, \$10, at	2.88
20 boys suits, long pants, old style, worth \$7.50 to \$10, Panic Price	3.78
Choice 50 Men's Suits, round cut, sizes 34 to 37, worth \$7.50, \$10, \$12.50, \$15, at	4.98

The Reason Why:

A warm, pleasant fall. The rich man's money panic threw a luke warm feeling over the buying community which leaves us with quite a large stock of winter merchandise on hand that must be sold. We simply won't carry them over. No camphor or moth balls for us. We have given them notice to vacate. So here is a windfall of good fortune to every man who is in need of any thing in the way of Clothing, Hats, Shoes or Furnishing Goods. This is not only a closing out of odds and ends but is a clean sweep and general clearance of everything in our line. Your money back if you want it.

J. T. Wall & Co.

Every article in our store is marked down.

J. T. Wall & Co.

Shoes

Boys Satin Calf Shoes, 13 to 2, worth \$1.40, at	1.10
Boy's Satin and Box Calf, 2½ to 5, worth \$1.50, at	1.19
Boy's Seamless Shoes, all solid, 2½ to 5, worth 1.75, at	1.39
Boy's Pat. Leather Shoes, 2½ to 5½, worth 2.00, at	1.39
Ladies Fine Kid Shoes, worth \$2.00, at	1.48
La. Srolans kid and leather Shoes, worth 1.50, at	1.19
Mens heavy box toe botchejor Boots, worth 3.50, at	2.79
Mens heavy full stock boots, worth 5.00, at	3.79
The genuine Hoeker Booties, worth 5.50, at	4.48



Pants

Boy's Knee Pants at	10c
Boy's Knee Pants, worth 50c, at	39c
Boy's Knee Pants, worth 75c, at	49c
Boy's Knee Pants, worth \$1, at	69c
Boy's long Corduroy pants, worth 1.50, at	98c
Men's Fresh Pants, worth 1.25, at	79c
Workman's pants, extra good for 1.50, at	1.19
Men's Liner Jeans pants, worth 1.00, at	69c

Furnishing Goods

Steel Coat Collar Springs, worth 5c	1c
Silk Arm Bands, worth 5c	2c
Men's hemstitched and Cambric Handkerchiefs, worth 5c	3c
1 doz White Collar Buttons for	3c
Full size Bandana Handkerchiefs for	4c
Men's Black Half Hose, worth 10c	5c
Men's Black Fleece lined Hose, worth 15c, for	7c
Ladies Black Hose, worth 10c	6c
Ladies Black fleece lined Hose, worth 15c	7c
Ladies Black White Foot Hos, worth 15c	8c
Baby Elite Shoe Polish or Whitmore's French Dressing	6c
Men's Imported Lisle Thread Hosiery, worth 25c	19c
Men's Nealgice Shirts, worth 50c and 75c	39c
Men's Balbriggan Union Suits underwear, worth 1.25	79c
Men's white Shirts, collars attached, worth 1.00	69c

The Wise Man Who Has His Eye on His Pocketbook Will Now Get Busy and Buy all the Wearables He Can Use.



Overcoats

Printer's ink tells the prices, come and see the goods. We make 50c look like a dollar during this sale.

Boys satinet Overcoats, 4 to 8 years, worth \$2, Panic Price	98c
Boys Overcoats, worth 2.50, Panic Price	1.69
Boys Overcoats, worth 3.50, Panic Price	1.59
Young men's all wool long Overcoats, worth 5.00, at	3.49
Men's Melton 50 in. all wool Overcoats, worth 7.50, at	4.98
Men's Grey Melton Overcoats, 46 inches, worth 8.50, Panic Price	5.98
Men's all wool 46 in. Grey Freese, worth 10.00, at	4.98
Men's Cravenette Raincoats, worth 10.00, at	6.98
Men's Cravenette Raincoats, worth 12.50, at	8.48
Men's Cravenet Raincoats, worth 22.50, at	15.98

Sale Postively Begins Friday, Jan. 17th. No goods sold or reserved at these prices until that Date.

J. T. WALL & CO.

OLD GLASS CORNER, HOPKINSVILLE, KY.

BY ASSOCIATION

AT CLARKSVILLE RESOLUTIONS
ARE ADOPTED.

Condemning Night Riding and Prom-
ising to Try to Prevent Deeds
of Lawlessness.

CLARKSVILLE, Tenn., Jan. 7.—
At a meeting of the Dark Tobacco
association, the following resolu-
tions condemning night riding were
adopted:

"Whereas, the tobacco growers,
through their regular organization,
have made a long, hard and success-
ful fight for better prices, and

"Whereas, the only charges now
made by our enemies are that of
various acts of lawlessness, such as
the late raids by unknown persons
on the towns of Hopkinsville and Rus-
sellville have either been done by
rash and over-zealous members of
our organization, or in its behalf, and

"Whereas, these acts of lawless-
ness have already caused a great
many companies to withdraw their
insurance entirely from this town
and county, and if repeated will
result in the withdrawal of all insur-
ance companies on tobacco, and will
thereby prevent the making of any
loans to our members who need
money, and seriously interfere with
marketing our tobacco crop; there-
fore be it

"Resolved, that we, the members
of the association of Montgomery
county, wish to be put on record
that we condemn all such lawless,
and will do all in our power to pre-
vent any such depredations being
committed in our county.

"POLK PRINCE, Ch'm.
"R. Y. JOHNSON, Secy.
"Jan. 6, 1906."

Carrie Nation

certainly smashed a hole in the
barrooms of Kansas, but Ballard's
Horsehound Syrup has smashed all
records as a cure for coughs, Bronchi-
tis, Influenza and all Pulmonary
diseases. T. C. H.—Horton Kansas
writes: "I have never found a medi-
cine that would cure a cough so
quickly as Ballard's Horsehound Sy-
rup. I have used it for years."

Sold by L. A. Johnson & Co.

For Sale.

Two thousand acres of Florida to-
bacco lands, all in one body, in the
celebrated tobacco district, where
the farmers are receiving the high-
est prices paid for tobacco in the
United States.

The 1907 crop of Sun tobacco,
known as Cuban tobacco, was con-
tracted for at 21 to 23 cts a pound, av-
erage 800 lbs. to the acre, realizing
from \$150.00 to \$300.00 in several in-
stances.

The Shaded tobacco, known as
Sumatra tobacco was contracted
from 65 to 75 cts a pound, averaging
1,000 lbs. to the acre, many farmers
receiving from \$500.00 to as high as
\$1,000 an acre in some instances.

The above are facts and we can
furnish proofs of same. Would pre-
fer selling an interest, or would sell
it as a whole, or would be willing to
divide into 10, 20, 40 or 80 acre tracts
and sell on monthly payments.

One railroad runs through the land
and another road within one and a
half miles. Address
GEO. W. WISE, Selma, Ala.

How to Avoid Pneumonia.

You can avoid pneumonia and other
serious results from a cold by
taking Foley's Honey and Tar. It
stops the cough, heals the lungs and
expels the cold from the system.
Refuse any but the genuine in the
yellow package. L. A. Johnson &
Co.

Public Sale.

On Saturday January 11, 1906, I
will sell to the highest bidder on six
months credit, household furniture
and farm implements, at my farm
near Castleberry church.

W. L. C. RATLIFF,

Send Your Cow, Steer, and Horse
Hides.

Calif. dog, and other skins, to the
Crosby Frisian Fur Co., Rochester
N. Y., to be converted into fur coats,
robes, gloves, mittens or rugs. They
are the largest custom fur fanners of
large wild and domestic animal skin
in the world. Send for illustrated
catalog.

Those desiring life insurance will
find it to their interest to investigate
the plans and record of the Mutual
Benefit Life Insurance company of
Newark, N. J. No Stockholders.
All profits divided among policy
holders. It is conspicuous for econo-
mical management, liberality of its
policy contract, fair dealings with
its members and large annual divi-
dends to reduce cost of your insur-

ly H. D. WALLACE, Agt

Would you
give baby alco-
hol? So-called
preparations of
cod liver don't con-
tain the oil—do
contain drugs and
wine (alcohol).
**Scott's
Emulsion**
contains no drugs
and no alcohol—
only pure cod liver
oil (which makes fat)
and pure hypophos-
phites (which build
bone and nerves).
All druggists, 50c. and \$1.00.

ON NEXT SUNDAY

Evansville-Nashville Accommodation
Will Make Its Run.

The Evansville-Nashville accom-
modation train, which was announ-
ced would make its first run today
will not start until next Sunday,
January 12. It is not known exactly
what the cause for the delay is, but
is supposed to be the failure to get
the schedule arranged. Going south
the train will pass here about nine
a. m., and returning will reach Hop-
kinsville about 5 p. m.

Putting food into a diseased stom-
ach is like putting money into a
pocket with holes. The money is
lost. All its value goes for nothing.
When the stomach is diseased with
the allied organs of digestion and
nutrition, the food which is put into
it is largely lost. The nutrition is
not extracted from it. The body is
weak and the blood impoverished.

The pocket can be mended. That sterling
medicine for the stomach and blood,
Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Dis-
covery, acts with peculiar prompt-
ness and power on the organs of di-
gestion and nutrition. It is a posi-
tive cure for almost all disorders of
these organs, and cures also such
diseases of the heart, blood, liver
and other organs, as have their
cause in a weak or diseased condi-
tion of the stomach.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure
constipation—one a gentle laxative,
two or three for a cathartic.

Two Marriages.

Licenses have been issued for the
marriage of J. B. Moore to Miss
Octavia C. Bronthers and Charlie
Smith to Miss May McElroy.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo } ss
Lucas County.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that
he is senior partner of the firm of F.
J. Cheney & Co., doing business in
the city of Toledo, county and state
aforesaid, and that said firm will
pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED
DOLLARS for each and every case
of Catarrh that cannot be cured by
the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed
in my presence, this 6th day of De-
cember, A. D. 1886.

(Seal) A. W. GLEASON,
Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken in-
ternally, and acts directly on the
blood and mucous surfaces of the
system. Send for testimonials free.
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by all Druggists, 75c.
Take Hall's Family Pills for con-
stipation.

IN BIRMINGHAM

Annual Reunion of Confederates Will
Be Held From June 9 to 11.

Gen. Wm. E. Mickle, Adjutant
General United Confederate Veter-
ans has made the following official
announcement:

"The eighteenth annual reunion
of the United Confederate Veterans
will be held in Birmingham, Ala.,
on June 9, 10 and 11 next. The peo-
ple of that city promise that the
gathering will be in every respect
all that the wearers of the gray
could wish. Committees are al-
ready actively at work to insure a
most enjoyable gathering.

A Higher Health Level.

"I have reached a higher health
level since I began using Dr. King's
New Life Pills," writes Jacob Sprin-
ger, of West Franklin, Maine. "They
keep my stomach, liver and bowels
working just right." If these pills
disappoint you on trial money will
be refunded at Cook & Higgins and
Cook's Pharmacy. 25c

CASTORIA.
Bears the
Signature
of
Chas. H. Hutchins

FOR U. S. SENATOR

REPUBLICANS IN LEGISLATURE
WILL SUPPORT W. O. BRADLEY

W. J. Gooch Will be Speaker of the
House and Con Linn President
Protem. of Senate.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Jan. 7.—The
house caucus of the Democrats last
night nominated W. J. Gooch, of
Simpson, for speaker; chief clerk,
James E. Stone, of Louisville; as-
sistant clerk, M. F. Pogue, of Crit-
tenden county; sergeant-at-arms,
C. W. Longmire, of Lexington, door-
keeper, Q. C. Dunn, of Lincoln; en-
rolling clerk, Miss Amy Lyons, of
Jessamine. All of the fifty-one
Democratic members of the house
were present and participated in the
caucus.

The senate Democratic caucus last
night nominated Conn Linn, of Callo-
way, for president pro tem; William
Cromwell, of Frankfort, chief clerk;
Jesse Alverson, of Stanford, as-
sistant clerk; Miss Annie Nourse, of
Hardin, enrolling clerk; Oscar Vest,
of Owen, sergeant-at-arms; John
Thomas, of Graves, doorkeeper.

The Republicans of the house and
senate held a joint caucus and nomi-
nated Wm. O. Bradley for United
States senator unanimously. They
will hold separate caucuses.

The legislature convened at noon
today, and the Democratic nominees
selected in the caucus were elected.
James P. Haswell was the Republi-
can nominee against W. J. Gooch.
Beckham is gaining ground in his
race for the senate and his managers
are confident of his election.

A Cure for Misery.

"I have found a cure for the mis-
ery malaria poison produces," says
R. M. James, of Louellen, S. C. "It's
called Electric Bitters and comes in
50c bottles. It breaks up a case of
chills or a bilious attack in almost
no time, and it puts yellow jaundice
clean out of commission." This
great tonic medicine and blood pur-
ifier gives quick relief in all at-
tacks, liver and kidney complaint and
the misery of lame back. Sold un-
der guarantee at Cook & Higgins
and Cook's Pharmacy.

Pembroke Masonic Officers.

At the last meeting of Pembroke
Lodge No., 288 A. F. & A. M., the
following officers were elected: C.
W. Morrison, W. M.; T. D. Gray, S.
W.; M. L. Levy, J. W.; C. E. Mann,
secretary; J. H. Pendleton, treasur-
er; T. A. Hamilton, S. & T.

All The World.

is a stage, and Ballard's Snow
Liniment plays a most prominent
part. It has no superior for Rheu-
matism, stiff joints, cuts, sprains,
and all pains. Buy it, try it and you
will always use it. Anybody who
has used Ballard's Snow Liniment
is a living proof of what it does.
Buy a trial bottle. 25c, 50c and \$1.00.
Sold by L. A. Johnson & Co.

Died Suddenly.

"Squire" Cook, an aged colored
man, died suddenly Sunday at his
home in Gainesville. The old man
seemed to be in his usual good
health until about, when he began
complaining of being ill and be-
fore a doctor reached him he was
dead.

The Joy

of living is to have good health.
Use Herbine and you will have bu-
siness of joy. You need not be blue,
fretful and have that bad taste in
your mouth. Try a bottle of Her-
bine, a positive cure for all liver
complaints. E. Harrell, Austin,
Texas, writes: "I have used Her-
bine for over a year, and find it a
fine regulator. I gladly recommend
it as a fine medicine for Dyspepsia."
Sold by L. A. Johnson & Co.

Take Positions.

Joe Claxton has accepted a posi-
tion with the Hopkinsville Lumber
Co.

Jesse Burrus has resigned his posi-
tion with T. M. Jones and is with
Bassett & Co.

When the stomach, heart or kid-
ney nerves get weak, then these or-
gans always fail. Don't drug the stom-
ach, nor stimulate the heart or
kidneys. That is simply a makeshift.
Get a prescription known to drug-
gists everywhere as Dr. Shoop's Re-
storative. The Restorative is prepa-
red especially for these weak inside
nerves. Strengthen these nerves
build them up with Dr. Shoop's Re-
storative—tablets or liquid—and see
how quickly help will come.
Free sample test sent on request by
Dr. Shoop, of Racine, Wis. Your
health is surely worth this test. Sold
by Anderson & Fowler Drug Co. (in-
corporated)

Woman's Nightmare

No woman's happi-
ness can be complete
without children; it
is her nature to love
and want them
as much so as it is
to love the beau-
tiful and pure.

The critical ordeal through which the expectant mother must pass,
however, is so fraught with dread, pain, suffering and danger, that the
very thought of it fills her with apprehension and horror. There is no
necessity for the reproduction of life to be either painful or dangerous.
The use of Mother's Friend so prepares the system for the coming event
that it is safely passed without any danger. This great and wonderful
remedy is always ap-
plied externally, and
has carried thousands
of women through the
trying crisis without suffering.

Send for free book containing information of
priceless value to all expectant mothers.
The Bradfield Regulator Co., Atlanta, Ga.

Mother's Friend

The Financial Situation.

There is more money in this country today than there ev-
er has been before, but it's in trunks, mattresses, underneath
carpets and other places where sneak thieves would naturally
look for it. The present financial flurry and consequent busi-
ness depression are due mainly to too much talk.

Don't be afraid of the American business man. He's not
a weakling or a "quitter." He's wide awake and knows his
"biz." You may "jar" him a little but you can't down him,
not by the antics of the bulls and bears of Wa-
street. As soon as these gamblers secure sufficient funds to
resume business we will all have smooth sailing again. The
banks today are absolutely sound all over the country. Hop-
kinsville's five banks are all in excellent shape and money in
them is far safer than under chimney hearths or in your old
socks. The farmers today are out of debt, and have harvest-
ed and many have sold big crops at a good profit. Conditions
are entirely different from what they were in the panic of
1893, when the farmers were all in debt and what they had to
sell would not bring the price of production. There is no sen-
sible reason for a panic now. Nothing but ungrounded fea-
has brought it about. Every man who has money to pay his
debts and doesn't pay them adds to the apprehension. Every
man who draws his money out of the bank and locks it up idle
is a public enemy. Brace up and hustle. Christmas is coming
and a new year will soon dawn and life's worth living yet.

Come right along and let's do business like we've always
done. We'll take your check or "charge" it and give you any
thing you want, and the best that's doing in Ranges, Heating
Stoves, Hardware or anything in our line.

It is gratifying to us that we have had the biggest year's
business in our history, the merit of our goods causing a stea-
dy demand from our many customers, for whose patronage
we again express our sincere thanks. Wishing you a merry
Christmas and a Happy New Year,

We are Very Truly Yours,

Planters Hardware Co.,

(Incorporated)

Per Chas. J. Jackson, Sec. and Treas.

Inventory Now On!

We Are Offering Special Prices

To Reduce Our Stocks!

Come in and look through our large assortment of
Queensware, Cut Glass, Jewelry, Lamps, Tin-
ware and Housefurnishing Goods

Reliable Goods at Reliable Prices

Yours to Serve,

FORBES MFG CO.
INCORPORATED
HOPKINSVILLE, KY.

RAW FROM FEET TO SHOULDERS

With Eczema—When Indoors, Itching Was Fearful—Prescription Did No Good—Followed Friend's Advice and Found Speedy Relief.

A PERFECT CURE BY USE OF CUTICURA REMEDIES

"I was raw from my shoulders down to my feet. As soon as I went into a warm room I could not stand the itching sensation. I tried several remedies with no relief, and I consulted a doctor who told me that I had eczema and gave me a box of ointment. I used it about two weeks and got no benefit. I then tried another ointment with the same result. Then I was advised to try the Cuticura Remedies. I got a cake of Cuticura Soap, a box of Cuticura Ointment and a bottle of Cuticura Resolvent and commenced to use them. By the time I had used about half of each of them I could see an improvement. After that I continued to use them until I had used four cakes of Soap, three large boxes of Ointment, and two large bottles of Resolvent in four or five weeks' time. At the end of this period, my skin was as clear as it could be. It is now three or four years since I used them and I wish to state that the Cuticura Remedies are the greatest in the world not only for eczema but for female trouble, from which my wife has been a sufferer for years. Cuticura Remedies, used in connection with one of the Cuticura syringes have done wonders for her. Fred E. Baker, 14 Grotto St., Watervliet, N. Y., Nov. 30, '06, and Jan. 20, '07."

CUTICURA

The Great Skin Cure and Purest and Sweetest of Emollients.

A single anointing with Cuticura Ointment, preceded by a hot bath with Cuticura Soap, and followed in the severe cases by a dose of Cuticura Pills, is often sufficient to afford immediate relief in the most distressing forms of torturing, disfiguring, itching, burning, and scaly humors, eczemas, rashes, and irritations, permit rest and sleep, and point to a speedy cure in the majority of cases, when all else fails.

Cuticura Remedies are sold throughout the world. Cuticura Soap (25c), Cuticura Ointment (50c), Cuticura Pills (50c), for in the form of Chocolate Coated Pills, 25c per box of 60. Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston, Mass.

62 Mailed free, Cuticura Book on Skin Diseases

Proclamation of Reward.

JANUARY TERM, 1908.
January 1st, 1908.

State of Kentucky, ss.
Christian County, ss.

WHEREAS, it has been made known to the undersigned Judge of the Christian County Court, that during the night of December 6-7 1907, a large number of unknown persons were confederated and banded together for the purpose of intimidating, alarming and disturbing persons of Christian County and the City of Hopkinsville, Ky., and for the purpose of molesting, injuring and destroying property of other persons and corporations, and in pursuance of that conspiracy a large band of unknown persons, armed and masked, and going by night to avoid being discovered and identified in their crime, entered, invaded and attacked the City of Hopkinsville, Christian County, Ky., set fire to warehouses and other buildings, fired into homes, shot and seriously wounded one person and assaulted and injured another, and injury resulted to the person and property of other persons and corporations by reason of said unlawful acts, said unknown persons then fled from justice and are still at large;

AND WHEREAS, such conduct is denounced by the Statutes of Kentucky, as a felony and the perpetrators of such crimes should be brought speedily to justice and made to suffer the penalties of the law;

AND WHEREAS, His Excellency, Augustus F. Willson, Governor of Kentucky, by virtue of the power vested in him, under the law in such cases made and provided, has issued a proclamation of reward for the apprehension and conviction of every person who participated in the said raid upon the said City of Hopkinsville, Kentucky;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT KNOWN, that by virtue of the authority vested in me by law, as a supplement to the reward offered by His Excellency, I do hereby offer a reward of TWO HUNDRED DOLLARS for the apprehension and conviction of each and every person who participated in the said raid upon the said city of Hopkinsville, Kentucky.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand, and caused the seal of the County to be affixed. Done at Hopkinsville, Ky., this first day of January, 1908.

CHAS. O. PROWSE, Judge,
Christian county, Kentucky
Attest
G. L. CAMPBELL, Clerk,
Christian County Court Kentucky.

SEEKING TO DESTROY

TOBACCO WORM WHICH IS FARMER'S PEST.

Government Expert Gives the Result
Of His Investigation in the
"Black Patch."

The report of A. C. Morgan, the government expert, who spent all of the summer and several weeks into the fall in the dark tobacco district experimenting with insects which preyed upon tobacco with a view of finding some method by which they might be exterminated and their ravages overcome, has been made public by the department of agriculture and it contains much of interest to the tobacco growers of Kentucky and Tennessee. Mr. Morgan made his headquarters at Clarksville but he visited nearly every county in the dark belt and various experiments were conducted under his direction.

Mr. Morgan begins his report by reference to the practice of canvassing of the tobacco beds for the double purpose of affording protection to the plants and also of making it so hot that the insects would be driven out. During the last spring though he says, the weather conditions were so cool that instead of driving the beetles out the canvases afforded them a warm place in which to live and they subsisted on the plants, he estimating that fully 25 per cent of the shortage in the acreage being due to this one cause. He says though that the plants could have been saved even under these circumstances had the farmers used an arsenite spray.

Cut Worms.

He refers to cut worms and other insects with unpronounceable technical means as being somewhat responsible for the damage to tobacco but says that the loss thus occasioned is overshadowed by the great pest, the tobacco worm. Mr. Morgan classes these under two heads: the Northern tobacco worm, *Phegthonius quinquemaculata*, and the Southern tobacco worm *Phegthonius sexta*. He cites 1896 as the worst example known of the terrible destruction which can be wrought by these worms. The expert states in that year whole fields were devastated, the plants being stripped of every part of the leaf except the midrib, and that one farmer did not cut a plant out of a planting of seventy acres. The year following this was a very light worm year and Mr. Morgan says this was due to the large amount of fall plowing which was done.

According to Mr. Morgan the crop of 1906 was damaged from 10 to 20 per cent according to locality, the loss estimated to be \$1,000,000. The 1907 crop is estimated to be injured 10 per cent or \$800,000, and it would have been much greater had the use of Paris green been more general. Even at this Mr. Morgan says he does not believe that more than 60 per cent of the farmers use Paris green. He tested the relative merits of using Paris green and of hand picking as a means of getting rid of the worms and found that an acre of tobacco was kept clearer of the worms at a rate of about \$1 by using the poison, while it costs \$12 per acre to keep the worms out by hand picking. When the tobacco was cut no difference could be told in the weight texture or length of the leaves or the evidences of damage by worms. He urges the farmers to return to the practice of poisoning the blooms of "jimson weeds" with cobalt.

Continuing, Mr. Morgan says: "Eight hundred pupae per acre is an alarming number to be permitted to go through the winter when the possibilities of reproduction are considered, and also when we remember that the moths emerging from the hibernating pupae are the progenitors of the generation that works such havoc in the tobacco fields during July and August. If only half of the above number of pupae mature and if half of those that mature are females, we shall have 200 females per acre. Quaintance places the number of eggs deposited at 200 per female. This would give 40,000 eggs per acre and later 40,000 worms. This is in the spring. The females that mature from this number of worms will each lay 200 eggs for the July and August infestation. The result would be 2,000,000 worms, if we suppose that only half of the 40,000 worms mature.

Significance of Figures.

"Something of the significance of the above figures may be understood when it is stated that upon tobacco near the field in which the large number of pupae were found, count

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was kept of the number of worm appearing from August 7 until September 20. The average per acre from counts made upon fourteen plots was 21,100. At this rate the 2,000,000 worms would infest more than 92 acres of tobacco. The importance of the destruction of the stubble by plowing is apparent. Your agent strongly advised that no suckers be allowed to grow, and that in cases where they had been allowed to grow the land should be plowed in the fall or winter to a depth of five to six inches instead of being disked."

According to Mr. Morgan's estimate, the loss of the 1907 crop from all causes is over \$3,000,000. He figures thusly: "Flea beetle injury to seed beds caused a shortage of 25 per cent in the crop and a consequent loss of approximately \$2,000,000. The loss due to injury by tobacco worms is estimated to be at least \$800,000. The number of acres that are hand-picked at a loss of \$8 to \$10 per acre is at least 40,000. The loss would be \$320,000 to \$400,000."

Effect Of Parasites.

In reference to parasites the report reads: "In so far as observations of the present season are to be relied upon, native parasites do not exercise a very appreciable control of tobacco insects. Comparatively very few larvae of *Phlegthontius* were found parasited upon tobacco. Upon tomatoes, however, the reverse is the rule. On September 12, a row of tomatoes which separated two out of tobacco, 102 larvae of *P. sexta* were parasited by *Apanteles congregatus* and thirty-three non-parasited. A careful search upon tobacco near by did not discover a single parasited larva. Another examination of the same tobacco on September 28 gave the same result. It must be that *apanteles* either does not oviposit freely upon larvae upon tobacco or that some chemo-toxic influence is responsible for their non-development."

In closing his report Mr. Morgan outlines what he considers should be the program for the future study of this subject, which means so much to the farmers and the tobacco growers. In the list he urges the study of the various insects which prey upon tobacco and if possible the finding of some method by which they may be exterminated. He also urges the further study of the use of Paris green and other poisons, and in this regard whether or not they cause any change in the texture or tissue of the leaf, and whether or not it proves dangerous for future use.

In a letter to Congressman John Wesley Gaines, of Nashville, Secretary James Wilson states that Mr. Morgan will be sent back to the dark district to continue his investigation next summer, provided the appropriations will permit. The farmers have closely followed Mr. Morgan's work, and nearly every congressman has already been besought to use his influence to secure another appropriation for the furtherance of the research.

Judge Barr.

God gave to Judge John W. Barr the responsibility of long life and large opportunity.

Now that responsibility and opportunity have had for him their human ending, the summing up of his stewardship tells a rounded story of noble purpose, of rich endeavor, of well-won attainment and splendid integrity. They are virtues not to be reckoned of minor import to those gifts of intellect which made of him a jurist in whose knowledge and interpretation of the law the people of his state found reason for their trust no less than continued occasion for their admiration.

As a citizen of Louisville, as a son of Kentucky, as a jurist, as well as in those finer relations of life which, when rightly used, give to it its sacredness, Judge Barr was a man honored not above his deserving.

He has earned his repose and the loving memory of his worth and service by those among whom and for whom his life was spent.—Louisville Times.

HERE IS GOOD NEWS

NEW TRAIN ON L. & N. IS ASSURED FACT

The Hours That it Runs From Evansville to Nashville Will Greatly Benefit Hopkinsville.

That which has long been hoped for has at last been accomplished and beginning on the morning of January 7, an accommodation train will be put in commission on the Louisville & Nashville railroad between Evansville and Nashville. L. H. Davis, secretary of the Commercial club, returned yesterday from Evansville where he made the final and binding arrangements in regard to the putting on of the train.

The train will leave Evansville each morning in the week and will reach here about 9 o'clock and Nashville about two hours later. Returning the train will leave Nashville at 3 p. m. and reach here at 5 o'clock and Evansville at about eight. The putting on of the new train will not interfere with any of the present trains except that the Sunday run of the Hopkinsville-Nashville accommodation will be discontinued. The new train will run daily and Sunday.

The news will be very gratifying to the business men and citizens generally of this city. The Commercial club has worked indefatigably to secure this train and much credit is due them for the success which has finally crowned their efforts. Heretofore people living north of the city had no way of coming in on the train unless they come the night before or had to get up at an unearthly hour in the morning.

Returning was almost as bad. Now however they can come in and spend the day trading, visiting or sight seeing and return to their homes in time for supper. It will also give the people of Hopkinsville an opportunity to take a later train to Nashville or points south of here or an afternoon train north. The new train will stop at every station.

Proclamation of Reward

Commonwealth of Kentucky
Executive Department.

WHEREAS, it has been made known to the undersigned governor of the commonwealth of Kentucky that during the night of December 6-7, 1907, a large number of unknown persons were confederated and banded together for the purpose of intimidating, alarming and disturbing persons in Christian county and the city of Hopkinsville, Ky., and for the purpose of molesting, injuring and destroying property of other persons and corporations and in pursuance of that conspiracy a large band of unknown persons, armed and masked and going by night to avoid being discovered and identified in their crime, entered, invaded and attacked the city of Hopkinsville, Christian county, set fire to warehouses and other buildings, fired into homes, shot and seriously wounded one citizen and assaulted and injured another, and injury resulted to the person and property of other person and corporations by reason of said unlawful acts, said unknown persons then fled from justice and are still at large;

AND WHEREAS, Such conduct is denounced by the statutes of Kentucky as a felony and the perpetrators of such crimes should be brought speedily to justice and made to suffer the penalties of the law;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT KNOWN, That by virtue of the authority vested in me by law, I do hereby offer a reward of Five Hundred Dollars for the apprehension and conviction of every person who participated in the said raid upon the city of Hopkinsville.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the commonwealth to be affixed. Done at Frankfort, this the twenty-fourth day of December, A. D. 1907. AUGUSTUS E. WILLSON.

By the Governor:

H. V. McCHESNEY,
Secretary of State.
By W. F. GRAYOT,
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Court Directory.

Circuit Court—First Monday in June and fourth Monday in February and September.

Quarterly Court—Second Monday in January, April, July and October.

Fiscal Court—First Tuesday in April and October.

County Court—First Monday in every month.

King Alfonso eats nine meals a day. Perhaps there is no monarch in the world the average hobo envies as he does Alfonso.

Is Mr. Carnegie getting to be a "lightwad"? His charity for a year amounts to a paltry \$8,000,000 while that of Mr. Rockefeller amounts up to \$42,000,000.

"Young Rockefeller says money is not good for poor people," says the Atlanta Georgian. The average poor man is estopped from answering this sage remark; lack of experience rendering him an incompetent judge.

"London has a 'You Be Quiet Club,'" says the Denver Post. Why can't Boston organize one of those things and elect Tom Lawson president for life.

The Japs are said to have made a map of Portland, Oreg. It would have been cheaper to buy a guide book.

Mr. "Gas" Addicks is said to be about to enter an active campaign for the Delaware governorship. This is calculated to relieve the last evidence of a money stringency in that locality.

About the first of next June several Republicans will realize that their presidential booms only make work for the clerks who look after the press clippings.

Indiana sings the song to Fairbanks "We are engaged in a sort of a way, but could learn to love another."

Senator Beveridge is generally in the list of "also spokes."

On Saturday a Baltimore man committed suicide, by hanging himself on a billboard. Perhaps he believed in that kind of advertising.

The suggestion made by ex-President Grover Cleveland that the United States find some method of taking care of its presidents after standard of living expeted of them, has met with more or less general approval. Mr. Cleveland recently called attention to the fact that few of the twenty-four men who have been honored by their countrymen with the office of president have enjoyed sufficient incomes during the remainder of their lives to enable them to maintain the social standard expected of them. He pointed out that very few fields of industry open to the man who has once the nation's chief executive and that still fewer will become sufficient for him to live on the same social

scale as when he presided at the White House. The American people, he declared, thoughtlessly demanded that their former presidents shall seek and follow a high calling upon retiring, whether or not they possess the means to do so. Awakened to the truth of this, it is extremely probable that congress will vote a substantial pension to the men who for four years or more have steered the good ship of state. Several senators and congressmen already have expressed themselves as being in sympathy with such a course. Incidentally, some local statisticians have dug up figures which show that the average life of ex-presidents, after retirement, has been twelve years and ten months.

WHO IS THE LEADER OF THE NIGHT RIDER HOSTS?

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Jan. 7.—Who is the leader of the Night Riders? It is considered beyond question that there is some one man who is dominating them and that he is a man of rare ability with excellent military training.

This is based on the wonderful discipline in the raids on Hopkinsville and Russellville. The raiders marched in a way that could only be the result of training.

In the Hopkinsville raid, many people noticed the man who seemed to be in command. He had a perfect military bearing, and gave every indication of having had military training. He wore a long tan coat, but no one recognized him. He is believed to be the mysterious genius who is the moving spirit of the Night Riders.

LAFAYETTE NOTES.

Friday before Christmas a concert was given at the schoolhouse by the present teachers, Misses Pearl Jenkins and Mollie Brown Stevenson. The music and recitations chosen for the entertainment were well adapted to the occasion, and as they were executed by those who have before been on the stage, they made it very interesting for the large crowd of spectators. There was also a very pretty Christmas tree in the same house on Wednesday night following, but the continued hubbub and the shooting of torpedoes by some parties in the rear of the house made it very unpleasant for the refined part of the congregation.

Mr. and Mrs. James Kingins, about one mile out in the country, fed the town's young people at noon Christmas day. The guests were courteously received and given an excellent dinner.

Miss Willie Archey entertained a few of her many friends Friday evening of the Yule season with a sala-magundi party. The time between six and nine o'clock was happily whiled away by the crowd of half-grown children.

There was only one day allowed for the shooting of fireworks in the town during the holidays. Several black eyes were the result of the hard-fought Roman candle battle which took place on Main street Christmas night.

A banquet was given here Wednesday night in what is known as the brick drug store by the Woodmen of America. Nearly everybody in town was invited. A large crowd was on hand and there was plenty to eat for all.

Mr. Al Greene, of the county, died Dec. 31, of diseases incident to old age. A harmless man gone to his reward.

Prentice Campbell, a negro whose home is in Flat Lick, and who has been carrying a shotgun in defiance of the officers since a writ was issued for him several days ago, caused a great deal of excitement here New Year's day by showing up in the town. Campbell has been having some trouble lately with his wife and when she swore out the writ for his arrest he also threatened her life. She, being afraid to live with him, came to town and hired to Mrs. S. M. Fraser as a cook. Wednesday evening Mrs. Fraser saw Campbell slipping around near the house with a gun. She phoned for Marshal Smith, who, with several others, went around to arrest him, but at first sight of the officers he ran, and made his escape. Campbell, who has twice been in the penitentiary, is a bad character and trouble is expected when he is arrested. Although he ran, he showed but little signs of fear and seemed disposed to use his gun if crowded. Several shots were fired at him but at a distance. The officers are still looking for him.

TENNESSEE LEADER

OF ASSOCIATION WRITES TO GOVERNOR OF KENTUCKY

General Manager Felix G. Ewing Discusses Purposes of Organization and Makes Some Suggestions.

The New Era has received, for publication, the following communication addressed by General Manager Ewing of the Planters' association, to Governor Willson at Frankfort:

Guthrie, Ky., Jan. 7th, 1908.
To His Excellency, the Governor,
Frankfort, Kentucky.

My Dear Sir:—In response to yours' of the 4th inst., and the various newspaper articles which have appeared over your signature. The association, which I have the honor to be connected with, feels perfectly consistent in its attitude and effort. It was conceived and nurtured for as pure a purpose, as the creation of the office of governor of the great state which you have the honor to represent. The association is progressing, notwithstanding the tremendous odds against it in the form of money power. The homes of this section are more comfortable, food and clothing more abundant and better, greater thought is given to be education of children and farming lands are more valuable. Lawlessness, disorder, or even violence, by right of law, was never a part of the association's programme. I have clearly indicated to you that I thought it far more harmful than beneficial, that even were it to prove an expedient, it could not be a permanency. I know not who the lawless people are, but I do know that in committing lawlessness they were acting in the capacity of individuals and as such are amenable to law. Since I saw you I have endeavored to perform the duty of an enlightened citizen; I have endeavored to discourage lawlessness, or even great force. As to your personal attack upon me, and others of our disreputable, by letter and in the newspapers, we feel that in due time we can take care of it, not only according to law, but as dignified, honorable citizens. Your caustic criticism may sting a little, but does not penetrate deeply enough to hurt. For the good of the great state of Kentucky and for the glorious association, we can be quite patient, or if need be, strangle entirely any personal feeling which may be engendered. I cannot comprehend your premises in reckoning I had violated any promise to you. I most emphatically deny this, and have a most credible witness; my correspondence will show for itself. I deem it unwise to enter into a controversy with you, of which there is a suggestion already, that it might become less considerate, and more sensational. This will inevitably result in injury to the state and the association. The association would be very slow and careful in any procedure, which might possibly undermine the interests of the great state. We trust you will be mindful of the fact that the most scientific physician reasons out causes as well as effects, and to be a broad, successful practitioner endeavors to relieve both cause and effect. Will you give conditions, past, present and future, the fullest consideration? Remember, there has never been a suggestion from this association that any law of the state be disregarded or retarded. What the association greatly desires now is the restoration of amicable commercial relations at Hopkinsville. It has never been our purpose to disrupt business relations existing, which were in many instances closely allied with our success, such for instance as banks, merchants, insurance companies and innumerable others. Commercial conditions there today are strained and the association, no less than other enterprises there, will be hindered to some extent in its progress. We would be glad to aid in the relief of these conditions. Whoever or whatever may be the causes, the effect is apparent. I note you say "you think it unwise, for you to go to Hopkinsville to address a large gathering, which the association would invite, or to have a meeting there at present," and without entering into the detail of this, I simply ask you would you think it wise to send Gen. Johnson here, with a committee of say, five conservative men of Hopkinsville to meet a like committee, of the directors of the association, in an effort to devolve a plan, to relieve the tension there. Without criticizing, I am of opinion that the presence of troops there, will do more to magnify than pacify and if you will study conditions carefully I believe you will see that

a tremendous injustice might be done Hopkinsville, commercially speaking, as well as by lawlessness. The association numbers many honest, level-headed men, who are sincere, practical and law-abiding who would gladly aid in the relief of the situation at Hopkinsville. In conclusion, I will say you have proclaimed that you will preserve the law and dignity of the state. This declaration cannot encompass one class of citizens only. The chief justice of the supreme court of the state of Kentucky has said there were enough laws on the statute books of Kentucky, to put down the nefarious methods of the trust. You have sent many soldiers to Hopkinsville. Will you use the full influence of the highest office in the state to do this? Will you assemble at Frankfort the equivalent of one hundred soldiers in good lawyers to protect to the full extent the interest of the tobacco planters at the state's expense.

Yours truly,
F. G. EWING,
General Manager.

CEMETERY REPORT.

J. T. Johnson, keeper of Riverside cemetery, has furnished the New Era with a report of his work for the past four years. This report shows in detail the mortuary statistics so far as this cemetery is concerned, and is therefore very interesting. By comparison of the various years it will be seen that the reports run very close together in all matters. In 1904, graves were dug for 70 grown people and 15 children. In 1905, 50 grown people and 29 children. In 1906, 62 grown people and 14 children. In 1907, 66 grown people and 20 children. The amount of money received for this work was \$1,148.

The above applies to persons who were buried immediately after death but in addition to the graves dug for these there is a constantly growing tendency of people who have their dead buried in country burying grounds to have the bodies removed to a public and constantly cared for cemetery. In the four years Mr. Johnson has so removed 91 bodies and received therefor \$349.50.

The sale of lots for the four years has amounted to \$5,102.65, divided as follows: 1904—\$1,297.53; 1905—\$1,296; 1906—\$1,301.40; 1907—\$1,207.70. This makes a total of receipts, \$7,929.38. The expenses for the same period amounted to \$4,184.02 leaving a balance to the credit of the city of \$3,745.36.

GUARDS EMPLOYED

Snuff Company Employs Men to Protect Clarksville Property.

The American Snuff company, known as a part of the tobacco trust, and one of the largest consumers of the dark tobacco raised in the night rider districts of Tennessee and Kentucky, in view of the recent night riding outrages going on in the dark tobacco belt of the two states for several months, have decided to guard its property more closely and yesterday the Nashville and Clarksville managers decided to employ additional watchmen for their warehouses located in the Clarksville district. They requested those who wanted positions of the kind to apply at the police station at 3 o'clock.

Applicants filled the waiting room at the station long before the appointed hour had arrived. Among the crowd were many ex-city and county officers.

Ex-Patrolman Charley Alley was selected as foreman of the men, and James Holterbau, Walter Johnson, Horace Alley, Smiley Clemmons, Cherley Miller and Hugh Etheridge were employed to accompany him to Clarksville and report for duty. Arrangements for transportation were immediately made and the men left upon their mission.—Nashville Tennessean.

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The special half price sale of Dr. Howard's specific for the cure of constipation and dyspepsia by L. L. Elgin means the saving of a few dollars on every family's yearly bill for medicines.

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WILLSON'S MESSAGE

DISCUSSES LAWLESSNESS IN TOBACCO DISTRICTS

Wants Nonpartisan Charitable and Educational Boards.—What's Going On at the Capital.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Jan. 8.—The message of Gov. A. E. Willson was read today in both branches of the legislature. It dealt at length with lawlessness in the tobacco districts and urged its immediate suppression.

He strongly advocated and insisted on non-partisan boards of control for charitable and educational institutions. He says in his message that \$50,000 will be needed for furnishing and completing the new capital.

The political game in state proverbially tumultuous and uncertain, promises to furnish a spectacular senatorial contest. The opening of the legislative sessions finds the Democrats somewhat shaken by the late election, nevertheless they have a majority of eight on joint ballot, and the managers of former Governor J. C. W. Beckham, who was nominated at a primary eighteen months ago, claim that he will be elected as per schedule.

At the joint caucus of the Democratic members of the general assembly Finley E. Fogg, of Morgan county, was nominated for prison commissioner, defeating his two opponents. Frank Kavanaugh was nominated for librarian, and will make Miss Sarah Mahan his assistant.

The board of curators of the Kentucky University of Lexington, adopted resolutions recommending that the name of the Kentucky Agricultural and Mechanical college be changed to "State University, Lexington, Ky.," and that the name of Kentucky University be changed to Transylvania University, effective on approval of the Kentucky general assembly.

BLAKELEY-KEENLY.

CERULEAN, Ky., Jan. 8.—Miss Audrey Blakeley and Mr. Jack Keenly surprised their many friends Monday January 6th by getting to Metropolis, Ill., and getting married.

There was not any parental objection to the marriage but they preferred to surprise their friends.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. J. Blakeley, of Trigg county and a very lovable young lady.

Mr. Keenly is a prosperous young farmer, having lived for several years, and until recently, on the Dr. Wood farm near Montgomery. He is now located on the King Wallace farm between Canton and Linton.

It was their intention to go direct to their home by boat from Metropolis. Their many friends wish them a long and prosperous life.

BARNETT ARRESTED

INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 8.—Cicero M. Barnett, president of the American Society of Equity, was arrested here today on a charge of criminal libel preferred by J. A. Everett, the deposed national president of the society. Mr. Barnett was released on bail secured by ex-Gov. William S. Taylor, of Kentucky.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Jan. 8.—The board of national directors of the American Society of Equity denounced the action of the Kentucky night riders at its session here and authorized its president, C. M. Barnett, of Hartford, Ky., to offer a reward of \$100 to any one who furnishes sufficient evidence against a member in good standing that he has taken part in such lawlessness.

KENTUCKIAN CALLED.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Jan. 7.—The Rev. Dr. Martin D. Hardin, a young Kentucky minister, has been called to the Third Presbyterian church of Chicago, one of the largest there. Mr. Hardin is a son of Gen. P. W. Hardin. Dr. Hardin is a native of Harrodsburg and was famous as a football player at Centre college in the early nineties. He is now in charge of a church at Charlotte, S. C.

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NOT EXAGGERATED

Says Insurance Man of Reports in the Newspapers.

In discussing the situation at Hopkinsville created by the Night Riders raid, C. W. Bories, of Louisville, special insurance agent, said Saturday in an interview at Paducah: "We are not taking newspaper reports of conditions," said Mr. Bories, "but we are investigating the situation at first hand, regardless even of what local agents say in some cases. For instance, two weeks before the raid on Hopkinsville we met there and were assured by local agents and the tobacco men themselves, that there was no danger. We reported to our companies that we considered newspaper reports grossly exaggerated. Investigation at Hopkinsville since the raid convinces me that newspaper reports sent out from Hopkinsville are very mild—too mild."

EMPLOYERS WIN SUIT.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—This "big stick" received a bad sent yesterday when the supreme court of the United States declared unconstitutional the "employer's liability act," passed by congress in 1906, at the solicitation of the President. By this law it was sought to abolish the doctrine that the responsibility of a fellow-employee for an accident relieved the employer from suit for damages for the death or injury of another employee.

Yonts & Fruit.

S. T. Fruit, of North Christian, a recent graduate of the law department of Cumberland University at Lebanon, Tenn., has formed a partnership with L. Yonts for the practice of his profession in Hopkinsville. Mr. Fruit graduated with high averages and will add much strength to the firm.

CERULEAN CHAT.

Mrs. Maud Stewart has been to our town. She bought a house and lot of Dr. J. G. White. Her mother Mrs. Fannie Thomas, and aunt, Mrs. Mary Roberts, are making their home with her.

Mr. W. D. Nabb has moved his family to the residence of his father, N. E. Nabb. Dr. White sold the house and lot that Mr. Nabb had been occupying. There was no other vacant house here that he could reside in.

Mr. Mort Singleton, of Memphis, Tenn., spent the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Singleton.

Mr. Fernan Ho pson spent part of the holidays with his brother, Archie, who is now living in Todd county.

Mr. George Stewart has been confined to his room for about two weeks because of having stuck a nail in his foot.

Misses Barney and Vera Guthrie and Mrs. Walter Powell, of Hopkinsville, visited their sister, Mrs. J. W. Francis, during the holidays.

Miss Jennie Warren, of Paducah, Ky., who has been visiting relatives here for several days returned to her home Sunday.

Mr. John D. Weller and daughter, Miss Ollie, went to Louisville on Dec. 29. Miss Ollie is in the hospital there where she underwent a very severe operation last Monday. She is said to be getting along very nicely. Her father is still with her.

B. Frank Smith has been confined to his bed for several days. He is suffering with erysipelas in his face and eyes. He is said to be improving.

Mrs. John Johnson, of Louisville, spent several days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Blakeley.

Mr. T. O. Turner spent last Monday and Tuesday in Evansville on a business trip.

Misses Ellen and Agnes Pursley of Hopkinsville, with their sister, Mrs. Olga Jefferson and husband, of Atlanta, Ga., are visiting the families of Mr. R. J. Elliot and R. R. Pursley.

Rev. D. B. Turner was unable to fill the pulpit at the Primitive Baptist church here on first Sunday because of illness.

Messrs. W. I. Nabb & Co., official prizees of Planters' Tobacco association commenced to prize tobacco last Monday.

Mr. J. R. Marquess and family have moved from our community to his farm near Sinking Fork post office.

DEATH WAS SUDDEN

PASSED AWAY AS HE SAT BEFORE HIS FIRE.

Confederate Veteran Died After Telling Wife He Had Had a Pleasant Dream.

After remarking to his wife, "I have just had a pleasant dream," George S. Morris, a highly esteemed citizen and a Confederate veteran, died Sunday morning as he sat in his chair before the fire at his home in the Pembroke vicinity. Mr. Morris had been a great sufferer for months of a nervous trouble, and to relieve intense pain had taken regular doses of bromidia. His heart had become weakened by the use of the drug and paralysis of that organ following a dose of the customary quantity yesterday morning caused death. He had scarcely finished speaking to his wife when his head dropped. She saw that something serious was the matter, and when she reached his side he was dead. Mr. Morris was 63 years old and a native of Louisiana and a son of the late Lemuel Morris, a pioneer citizen of Christian county. He fought gallantly through the civil war being a sergeant of the Fourth Louisiana battery, C. S. A. He was a member of Ned Meriwether Camp, U. C. V. A widow, four sons and two daughters survive him. Funeral services took place today at the late residence and the remains were interred at Riverside cemetery.

WHITE-HAWKINS.

Miss Anna White, the lovely and accomplished daughter of Mrs. Cordie Hanbery White, of Cadiz, and Mr. Frederick Hawkins, a prominent business man, of Huntington, West Va., were joined in the holy bonds of wedlock Thursday at the Baptist parsonage in Cadiz by the Rev. Mr. Tabby. The marriage was a complete surprise even to the intimate friends of the popular young couple. They had been sweethearts a long time.

PERSONALS.

(From Wednesday's Daily)
Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Wolfe and little daughter, Louise, of Nashville, Tenn., have returned home after a two weeks visit to friends and relatives in the city.

Mrs. Hunter Green, of Gracey, is visiting Mrs. N. B. Edmunds.

L. G. Parker, of Louisville, general manager of the Central Home telephone company, spent yesterday in the city.

Frank Deckert, of the Courier-Journal's circulation department, is in the city.

W. F. Bruce, who formerly lived here but who has been living in south Christian county for several years, was in town Monday and stated that he would move to Hopkinsville to reside.—Cadiz Record.

Miss Daisy Aldridge has returned Bowling Green.

Mrs. James H. Anderson has returned to Knoxville after a visit to relatives in the city.

John S. Lawrence, of the Cadiz Record, was in the city yesterday.

Miss Bessie Quarles, who has been at Springfield, Tenn., for several weeks, has returned home.

E. D. Jones, of Rich, is here today.

(From Saturday's Daily)

Mrs. L. P. Trabue and daughter, Marian, have returned from a visit of several days to Mrs. F. M. Byars, of Hopkinsville.—Elkton Times.

Mrs. Rogers Barr and sons, Jno. W. and Rogers, have returned from Louisville, where they attended the funeral of the late Judge Jno. W. Barr.

Misses Christine Carothers, of Elkton, and Fannie Bess Caldwell, of Louisville, have returned to their homes after a visit to Miss Sallie George Blakey.

Mrs. J. M. Hardin and daughter, Mrs. Geo. E. Gary, of Hopkinsville, were in the city today, the guests of friends.—Bowling Green News.

Mrs. Ida B. Jernigan and son, Sterling, who have been visiting the family at Dr. S. J. Martin, on West Chestnut street, have returned to their home in Hopkinsville.—Bowling Green News.

Kentucky's Humiliation.

(Communicated)

Much has been written ably and forcibly in regard to the recent gross and shameful violation of law in our midst which has placed our beloved state in the limelight of unenviable notoriety in the eyes of the whole civilized world today, but there is one phase of the matter upon which sufficient stress had not been laid, and it is of this I beg permission to speak as one who has no personal interest on either side of the tobacco question save to see right and justice upheld. To be a Kentuckian is a heritage of which any one may be justly proud, and yet that heritage is about to become a thing of shame because of the lawlessness of our own people.

To a thoughtful mind whose pride in state has not been wholly lost in narrowness of self aggrandisement the most deplorable feature of the whole matter is not the loss of property, nor even the temporary infringement on man's liberty, but the fact that citizens of intelligence and good standing, citizens who would expect the state to protect them in their right, even men who fought in the Civil war for the principle that is now violated, sympathize with those who have committed these deeds of violence, ridicule the efforts of law abiding citizens to bring the guilty parties to justice and do all in their power to assist in the defeat of these efforts.

It is time for thinking men to arouse themselves and consider where we are drifting. The same principle back of this lawlessness can, and if it is not checked doubtless will, be carried into every phase of business or private life either, and the boasted freedom and liberty of the American citizens become a grim jest.

The farmer undoubtedly had a grievance and a great one, and while honorable methods were used to fight oppression, the sympathies of all their neighbors, who were not tobacco-growers, were with them desiring to see them victorious in what all recognized was a just fight; but when an element ceased to regard law and attempted to destroy equality of rights, forcing men to unite with them against their will or judgment, that element lost claim to sympathy and moral support and no man, whether he be in the association or out of it, should condone their acts or fail to do all in his power to redeem Kentucky's name before the world as a fair and fertile land where a man can set "under his own vine and fig tree" without fear of molestation.

—CITIZEN.

HAD BEEN CALLING

AND RODE INTO A WIRE WHICH HAD SAGGED

John F. Wagner has filed suit against the Cumberland Telephone company upon grounds which are rather unusual.

Mr. Wagner, who lives near Kirkmansville, states that as he was returning from calling on a young lady on the night of December 22, 1907 a wire of one of the telephone company's lines, which had sagged, struck him about the middle of the body and pulled him from his horse. He says he was painfully injured and had to spend \$50 for medicines. He asks that this amount be restored to him as well as \$2,000 for damages he sustained.

SELL HOLDINGS.

HAWESVILLE, Ky., Jan. 8.—The Hancock county branch of the Society of Equity has sold its holdings to J. H. Vaughn & Co. The amount sold will be about 1,000,000 pounds and delivery will begin next Monday. The prices range from \$6.50 to \$8.50 while trash will bring \$2.50.

Notice!

All persons holding claims against the estate of the late G. R. Cayce are requested to present them to me properly verified at once.

C. N. RIVES, Admr.
G. R. Cayce, deceased.

FEED STORE.

I have opened a feed store on corner of 5th and Virginia streets and will be glad to have your patronage.

H. J. Yonts.

GOOD CROWD HERE

BUT NOTHING LIKE THE NUMBER LOOKED FOR

Ministers Preach on Law and Order.—Grand Jury is Considering Evidence Before It.

(From Monday's Daily)

There is a big crowd in the city today, but nothing like as large as had been expected, in view of the thousands and one rumors that have been circulated recently.

Ward Headley, of Princeton, said to a New Era representative today: "I am here as an attorney for the association, at the request of General Manager Ewing, to make it known that no gathering of members of the association has been called to meet in Hopkinsville today. The published report of rumors that a big crowd was coming here was the first inkling that reached the ears of Mr. Ewing and district officials. I have no idea how the impression could have gotten out. Not only has the association called no general assemblage of members, but it is opposed to any large meetings at present, anywhere in the district, believing it best that there should be no public agitation of questions involving in the tobacco situation while conditions are disturbed and unsettled as they are now."

Nearly every minister of the gospel in Hopkinsville preached Sunday on law and order, with strong appeals for manifestation of the best of the highest character of citizenship in these critical times, and fervent prayers for God's special guidance, grace and strength were offered. The ministers of Hopkinsville have been as a unit in deploring and denouncing the acts and methods of the Night Riders, and when the citizens were guarding the town some of them were out every night with guns on their shoulders patrolling the streets.

A Frankfort dispatch says: "Judge James Breathitt, attorney-general-elect, denied tonight that he had received any threatening letters from the 'Night Riders' in regard to harm to himself or destruction to his property, and was at a loss to understand how such rumors became current. Judge Breathitt has been in Frankfort for the past two weeks, and said that no such letters had reached him here, and that none had come to him before he left Hopkinsville. He said that his wife and son arrived here Saturday, and that neither of them had received any such letters before leaving Hopkinsville and that they had not heard of any such rumors before leaving."

Two Accidents.

P. B. Pendleton was accidentally shot by S. F. Williams while out hunting last week. The load just grazed the side of Mr. Pendleton's head and he was knocked down, though not seriously hurt. The two hunters were very close together and had not Mr. Pendleton been a little out of range of Mr. Williams' gun, he might have been killed.

Ben J. Garbett was also shot while hunting with Q. F. Combs. One shot took effect in the side of the head, but aside from bringing a little blood, no serious damage was done.—Pembroke Journal.

CUTTING SCRAPE.

CERULEAN, Ky., Jan. 8.—Mr. E. L. Reed, who lives near Bainbridge, Christian county, was very seriously cut by Bev Blythe, Tuesday. The facts in the case were not fully ascertained but Mr. Reed was having some trouble about a settlement with a tenant by the name of Storm when Blythe interfered and did the cutting.

LAND COMPANY.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Jan. 6.—A company which proposes to open up 2,100 acres of coal lands in western Kentucky has been organized here with \$100,000 capital. The incorporations are Congressman A. D. James of Paducah, N. W. Grider of Bowling Green, R. H. Fox of Bell county and Senator H. S. McNutt of Louisville, each holding 100 shares. The property consists of 2,100 acres of virgin coal fields in Muhlenburg and Hopkins counties. It lies about fourteen miles from Central City at a point called McNary, on the Illinois Central. Engineers are sinking shafts now and in a short time it is believed fully a half dozen mines will be in operation. Congressman James is president of the company and Mr. Grider will be the chief manager.

KILLED HER HUSBAND.

HALETTSVILLE, Tex., Jan. 4.—As he was entering his office, W. R. Beaumier, editor of the Haletsville Herald, was shot and instantly killed by his wife. She was arrested and placed under \$2,000 bail. Domestic troubles are said to be the cause of the killing.

PAPER AT FRANKFORT.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Jan. 4.—The printing plant of the George A. Lewis Publishing company, of this city, has been sold to a company headed by Hubert Vreeland, the retiring commissioner of agriculture. It is understood that Mr. Vreeland intends to issue an afternoon Democratic daily newspaper.

HEALTH BOARD'S REPORT

To the Honorable Board of Council of Hopkinsville—

Gentlemen—We hereby submit a report of the work done by the health board during 1907 and beg to make some suggestions and recommendations to the council for their consideration during the year 1908. During the year there were reported to the board 61 births, divided as follows: White males, 26; while females, 24; colored males, 5; colored females, 6. As is usual there were few colored births reported, for the reason that there are no physicians in attendance on these cases, therefore no report is received. There was reported 124 deaths, as follows: Male white, 24; female white, 16; male colored, 38; female colored, 46. Contagious diseases reported: Typhoid fever, 33; scarlet fever, 11; measles, 12; tuberculosis, 14; diphtheria, 4. There were 295 nuisance notices served and the nuisances abated; 24 houses were placarded and 56 houses fumigated and disinfected.

There has been so much scarlet fever and in so widely different districts that we have made a strenuous effort to find the origin of the infection but have been unable to find any connection these cases have with each other. In view of the fact that during 1908 we had the same condition of affairs we are forced to the conclusion that the disease had its origin in unsanitary conditions which are known to produce this trouble. The typhoid cases are due to the carelessness of people who have the disease in their homes, to eating unclean food and drinking polluted water and bad drainage. When we look at the above list of contagious and infectious diseases and remember that they are preventable, it is enough to stagger us and should be enough to awaken the people to the importance of these matters and cause them to give the health board their hearty cooperation and support, for be it known, that a health board be it ever so diligent cannot do effective work unaided and alone. It must have the support of the people it would benefit.

In this connection I would call the attention of the council to the importance of looking closely into the question of drainage some of the surface sewers are entirely too small and new ones are badly needed in several places. In our report last year we suggested a public market house and again we make the suggestion as being the best method of giving our citizens a pure food supply. The inspection of the meat shops should not be overlooked, the clean meat shops will give us their hearty support and cooperation, and the filthy man is the one we are after. Expectoration on the sidewalk is unsightly, unsanitary, tends to spread disease and is otherwise objectionable, and we would endorse an ordinance prohibiting this disgusting practice. All of which is most respectfully submitted,
R. L. WOODARD, Sec.

Newspaper Subscriptions.

An order promulgated on December 4 denies to publishers the privilege of sending copies to subscribers as such after a specified term following the expiration of the subscription. Hereafter publishers of weekly newspapers can not carry subscribers in arrears for more than one year, semi-weekly more than nine months, tri-weekly longer than six months, and dailies longer than three months. For each violation the publisher will be fined one cent for each four ounces. Since the average newspaper weighs four ounces or less, each paper sent to a subscriber in arrears for a longer period than indicated will cost the publisher one cent fine.

The law will not affect the big dailies very materially, but it will make a change in the management of weeklies and semi-weeklies.

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The Kind You Have Always Bought
Beware of Imitations
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One trial will convince you that Sloan's Liniment

will relieve soreness and stiffness quicker and easier than any other preparation sold for that purpose.

It penetrates to the bone, quickens the blood, drives away fatigue and gives strength and elasticity to the muscles.

Thousands use Sloan's Liniment for rheumatism, neuralgia, toothache, sprains, contracted muscles, stiff joints, cuts, bruises, burns, cramp or colic and insect stings.

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Almost every family has need of a reliable remedy for colic or diarrhea at some time during the year.

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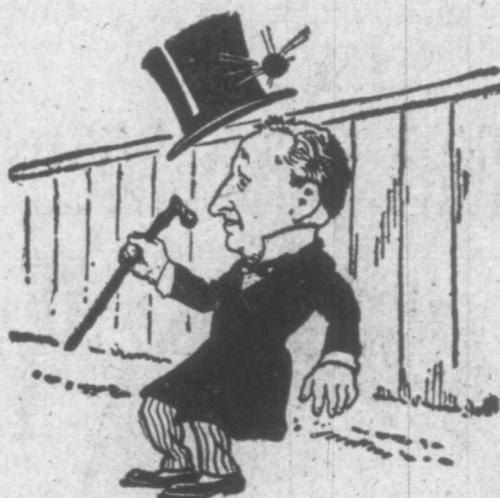
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that it is very unwise economy in order to save a few dollars to leave your property without INSURANCE PROTECTION. The best investment a man can make is a small sum invested in a Fire Insurance Policy. If not insured let us take care of the matter for you. Don't delay! Act now!

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Free Country Service to subscribers.

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TELEPHONES INSTALLED ON SHORT NOTICE.

J. D. RUSSELL, Mgr.

That our American forests abound in plants which possess the most valuable medicinal virtues is abundantly attested by scores of the most eminent medical writers and teachers. Even the untutored Indians had discovered the usefulness of many native plants before the advent of the white race. This information, imparted freely to the whites, led the latter to continue investigations until to-day we have a rich assortment of most valuable American medicinal roots.

Dr. Pierce believes that our American forests abound in most valuable medicinal roots for the cure of most obstinate and fatal diseases. If we could properly investigate them, and in demonstration of this conviction, he points with pride to the almost marvellous cures effected by his "Golden Medical Discovery," which has proven itself to be the most efficient stomach tonic, liver invigorator, heart tonic and regulator and blood cleanser known to medical science. Dyspepsia, or indigestion, torpid liver, functional and even valvular and other affections of the heart yield to its curative action. The reason why it cures these and many other affections, is clearly shown in a little book of extracts from the standard medical works which is mailed free to any address by Dr. R. V. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., to all sending request for the same.

Not less marvellous, in the unparalleled cures it is constantly making of women's many peculiar affections, weaknesses and distressing derangements, is Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, as is amply attested by thousands of published testimonials contributed by grateful patients who have been cured by it of catarrhal pelvic troubles, painful periods, irregularities, prolapses and other displacements caused by weakness, ulceration of uterus and kindred affections, often after many other advertised medicines, and physicians had failed.

Both the above mentioned medicines are wholly made up from the glyceric extracts of native medicinal roots. The processes employed in their manufacture were original with Dr. Pierce, and they are carried on by skilled chemists and pharmacists with the aid of apparatus and appliances specially designed and built for this purpose. Both medicines are entirely free from alcohol and all other harmful, habit-forming drugs. A full list of their ingredients is printed on each bottle wrapper.

Quarterly Report of the FARMERS AND MERCHANTS BANK

Pembroke, Ky.,
at the close of business Dec. 31, 1907.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	\$140,640.88
Overdrafts unsecured	567.83
Due from National Banks	\$12,147.11
Due from State Banks and Bankers	
Due from Trust Companies	933.98
Banking house and lot	13,081.09
Specie	21,991.38
Currency	\$2,761.82
	3,004.00
Exchange for Clearings	5,755.82
Other items carried as cash	62.89
Furniture and fixtures	588.25
	1,518.00
Total	\$184,216.07

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in, in cash	\$40,000.00
Surplus	10,000.00
Undivided surplus	23.84
Deposits subject to check (on which interest is not paid)	\$71,869.01
Time certificates of deposit (on which interest is paid)	11,005.63
Savings deposits (on which interest is paid)	5,079.49
Due State Banks and Bankers	87,954.13
Bills re-discounted	8,428.32
Unpaid dividends	35,500.00
Premium account	1,440.00
	865.78
Total	\$184,216.07

SUPPLEMENTARY.

Highest amount of indebtedness of any stock holder, person company or firm (including in the liability of company or firm the liability of the individual members thereof) directly or indirectly, if such indebtedness exceeds 20 per cent. of capital stock actually paid in, and actual amount of surplus of that bank. None.

Highest amount of indebtedness of any director or officer, if amount of said indebtedness exceeds 10 per cent. of paid up capital stock of bank. None.

Does amount of indebtedness of any person, company or firm including in the liability of the company or firm the liability of the individual members thereof, exceed 30 per cent. of the paid up capital and actual surplus. No.

Amount of last dividend. \$1,400.00.

Were all expenses, losses, interest and taxes deducted therefrom before declaring dividend, and was not less than 10 per cent. of the net profits of the bank for the period covered by the dividend carried to the surplus fund before said dividend was declared. Yes—No.

State of Kentucky, County of Christian.

J. W. Cross, cashier of the Farmers and Merchants Bank, a bank located and doing business in the town of Pembroke, Ky., in said county, being duly sworn, says the foregoing report is in all respects a true statement of the condition of the said bank at the close of business on the 31st day of Dec. 1907, to the best of his knowledge and belief, and further says that the business of said bank has been transacted at the location named, and not elsewhere, and the report is made in compliance with the official notice received from the Secretary of State designating the 31st day of Dec. 1907, as the day on which such report shall be made.

J. W. Cross, Cashier.
R. T. Chilton, Director.
J. J. Garrett, Director.
Isaac Garrett, Director.
Subscribed and sworn to before me by J. W. Cross the 3rd day of Jan. 1908.
H. H. Pendleton, N. P.

GOOD SHOWING MADE

IN THE REVENUE COLLECTIONS
FOR DECEMBER

Revenue collections in the Second district are, notwithstanding the recent financial flurry, heavier for December, 1907, than for the same month of 1906. The collections for the past month reached the creditable total of \$258,192.54, against \$250,748.10 in December, 1906, an increase of \$7,444.44.

The total for the year is, however, nearly \$100,000 short of what it would have been but for the financial disturbance. Most of the falling off was in the month of November, when the collection amounted to only \$190,422.84. This was the lightest collections for one month for several years.

NESTOR OF SENATE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4.—Is Senator Wm. B. Allison, nestor of the senate, to be retired in favor of Governor Cummings, of Iowa.

Official Washington is stirred again by the oft-repeated rumor



WILLIAM B. ALLISON.
which comes now stronger than ever before.

Senator Allison is one of the most conspicuous men in the upper house of congress.

He has served in the senate since March 4th, 1873, and prior to that time had served four terms in the house of representatives.

There is more of him on the Federal statute books in the way of important laws affecting the life of the nation than of any other man alive.

The veteran Iowa statesman has never been given to display and long-winded speeches on the floor. But for a quarter of a century he has been recognized as the hub of the senate inner circle.

He has refused offers of a seat in the cabinet more often than any other man in the history of the United States. Almost every Republican president for a generation has sought his assistance in his executive work. Over and over again he has declined appointment as secretary of the treasury. Twice he has been near the presidency.

Senator Allison has been in public life nearly 60 years.

His present term in the senate expires March 4, 1909, two days before his eightieth anniversary.

JURY DISCHARGED



CALEB POWERS.

GEORGETOWN, Ky., Jan. 4.—Jury in Caleb Powers case, utterly unable to agree, was discharged today at 11:45 a. m. Motion for bail will be considered this afternoon.

You May Need It

Ask your doctor about the wisdom of your keeping Ayer's Cherry Pectoral in the house, ready for colds, coughs, croup, bronchitis. If he says it's all right, then get a bottle of it at once. Why not show a little foresight in such matters? Early treatment, early cure.



Many a boy is called dull and stupid when the whole trouble is due to a dry liver. We firmly believe your own doctor will tell you that an occasional dose of Ayer's Pills will do such boys a great deal of good. They keep the liver active.

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IN 1908

The almanacs for 1908 contain many interesting facts and figures. The full list of church days as in 1908 follows:

Epiphany	January 6
Septuagesima Sunday	February 16
Quinquagesima Sunday	March 1
Shrove Tuesday	March 3
Ash Wednesday	March 4
Quadragesima Sunday	March 8
Palm Sunday	March 12
Good Friday	March 17
Easter Sunday	April 19
Low Sunday	May 24
Ascension Day	May 23
Whit Sunday	June 7
Trinity Sunday	June 14
Corpus Christi	June 18
Advent Sunday	November 23
Christmas Day	December 25
Ember Days for 1908—March 11, 13 and 14; June 10, 12 and 13; September 16, 18 and 19; December 16, 18 and 19.	

Eclipses for 1908.

Though the church days are based upon astronomical calculations, the real items of this class in the almanacs are found in the list of eclipses, etc. In 1908 out of three eclipses of the sun and one of the moon, only one will be visible to the people in that portion of the United States where Cairo is located.

The first eclipse will be one of the sun on January 3. This eclipse is a total, the path of totality extending from central America across the Pacific ocean to a point about midway between New Zealand and Japan. In the United States the eclipse will not be visible at all except in parts of the extreme southwest and then only as a partial eclipse, the sun setting eclipsed.

On June 23 another eclipse of the sun will occur and this will be visible throughout the United States as a partial eclipse.

Then no more of this phenomena until December 7, when a lunar eclipse will occur. This will not be visible in this part of the country, though it may be seen by New Englanders, and the inhabitants of Europe, Asia and Africa.

Following close on this there will be another invisible solar eclipse on December 23, which will conclude the diversions of this sort during the year.

Morning and Evening Stars.

The planet Venus begins an evening star and continues as such until July 5, after which date she is morning star to the end of the year.

The planet Mars will be evening star until August 22 and then he will be morning star the balance of the year.

The planet Jupiter begins a morning star and continues as such until January 29, after which date he is evening star until August 17, and then morning star to the end of the year.

The planet Saturn begins an evening star and continues as such until March 21, after which date it is morning star until September 30 and then evening star the rest of the year.

Seasons Standard Central Time.

Spring begins March 20, eight hours, twenty-seven minutes evening.

Summer begins June 21, four hours, nineteen minutes, evening.

Autumn begins September 23, six hours, fifty-eight minutes, morning.

Winter begins December 23, one hour, thirty-three minutes, morning.

Almanac Calculations for 1908.

The year 1908 comprises the latter part of the 1324 and the beginning of the 1325 year of American independence and corresponds to the year 6021 of the Julian period; the year 5688-5689 of the Jewish era; the year 5688 begins at sunset on September 25; the year 2061 since the foundation of Rome according to Varro; the year 2668 of the Japanese era and to forty-first year of the period entitled "Meiji" the year 1325 of the Mohammedan era, or the era of the Hegira begins on the fourth day of February, 1908. The first day of January, 1908, is the 2,417,942d day since the commencement of the Julian period.

WILLSON INCENSED

OFFERS REWARD FOR ANY ADVANCE INFORMATION

Believes Raid on Russellville Was Perpetrated Largely to Influence Investigation in This City.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Jan. 4.—Gov. Willson has issued the following proclamation:

"Whereas, divers wicked and malicious persons whose names are unknown have plotted and conspiring and are now plotting and conspiring together in large bands and mobs of lawless persons in Kukkux gangs, although called 'peaceful armies,' to intimidate, a state reward of \$500 is offered for every person who shall be discovered, arrested and convicted in any of the counties of Trigg, Logan, Caldwell, Lyon, Christian, Bracken or Mason, through information given in advance of any intended raid which will enable the county or state authorities to meet the criminals. The greatest care will be taken to keep secret the informant. Information can be given to the adjutant general of Kentucky or the governor of Kentucky."

Gov. Willson declares that the Russellville raid was a violation of the promises made by the managers of the associations in that part of the state, and was made to hinder the prosecutions at Hopkinsville by intimidating the officials and witnesses.

The governor further says it is his belief that the raid will only serve to swell the number of criminals guilty of felonies similar to those at Hopkinsville and Princeton, and to make it harder for the tobacco growers in that section to get living prices for their tobacco; to further disgrace the state and to inflict further destruction of value of farms and all property in the district, as well as to shake the faith of the people of the state in the protection of the laws and to force capital and valuable immigration to shun Kentucky.

END OF THE WORLD.

NEW YORK, Jan. 1.—Lee J. Spangler's prophecies for 1908 are issued. Mr. Spangler had made many startling predictions in the past 20 years, and for 11 years has been sending out annual bulletins.

Spangler's prediction for last year that there would be a great money stringency and that many of the bank officials would take their lives, and that President Roosevelt would have great trouble have seemingly been realized.

Another prophecy made last year was that the United States would go to war with Japan, and that she would be victorious and ride the high seas as the peace dictator of the world.

Spangler's bulletin for 1908 is filled with predictions of calamities, the most awful of which is the destruction of the world during the latter part of 1908. December has been set as the month when the world will drop out of existence.

Sunday, when the people are in their places of worship, the great signs will appear in the skies, and in the twinkling of an eye the transition will take place.

Previous to the destruction of the world great troubles are predicted. Nations will be entangled in war, the great mountains of the world will tumble and fall and the rivers will dry up.

Boston, he says, will sink into the sea, and New York will be burned. There will be great financial troubles and many will fail and the treasury of the United States will go dry.

NO MORE INSURANCE

PADUCAH, Ky., Jan. 4.—A special fire insurance agent who arrived here today from Hopkinsville says that, as a result of the Russellville raid, the insurance companies will cancel all tobacco policies in the state.

EXCHANGED PISTOLS.

BEATTYVILLE, Ky., Jan. 4.—It develops that Chief of Police Joe Davidson and Robert Evans, who shot and killed each other here, had been drinking from the same bottle only a few minutes before the killing and that they had exchanged pistols, each being killed with his own weapon.

The bodies will be taken to Owsley county for burial in family lots, which are almost adjoining.

CABOTIA.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Sears the Signature
Charles H. Hitchcock

Happy New Year, 1908!

We swing into 1908 with a determination to discount the past and keep this the best Clothing, Shoe, Hat and Furnishing store in Hopkinsville.

May the recollections of the dying year live as a pleasant memory of a time that's gone.

And sorrow—may it be buried by the goodness and the joy which the new year has in store for you.

A Happy New Year for everybody!

J. T. WALL & COMPANY

The House That Always Makes Good

THE FACILITIES OF OUR MILLS

Are such that we can get out anything in the way of dressed material on very short notice

We Are Confident

that we have in our employ the most skilled workmen in the city and guarantee the quality of our mill work to be first class in every particular.

Hopkinsville Lumber Company

Incorporated

DOING ALL KINDS OF Sheet Metal Work IS OUR BUSINESS.

If you have a single item of Tin Work needing attention we can prove our ability and skill in the trade and the reasonableness of our charges. A call will be appreciated

E. Y. Johnson

Claude P. Johnson, Mgr.
Cumb. Phone 270
9th St., near I. C. Depo

WINCHESTER



Hunting Rifles

From the ten different Winchester repeaters you can surely select a rifle adapted for hunting your favorite game, be it squirrels or grizzly bears. No matter which model you select you can count on its being well made, accurate and reliable.

SHOOT WINCHESTER CARTRIDGES IN WINCHESTER GUNS

Condensed Statement

OF THE:

First National Bank,

At Hopkinsville,
in the State of Kentucky,
—AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS—

December 31st, 1907.

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts	\$269,152.84
Overdrafts	1,152.28
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures	22,227.50
U. S. Bonds to Secure Circulation	75,000.00
Other Bonds	3,000.00
Cash and Cash Items	42,678.16
Due from Banks	45,616.78
Due from U. S.	
Treas.	4,127.50—92,322.44
U. S. Bonds (to secure U. S. deposits)	50,000.00
Total	\$512,855.06

LIABILITIES

Capital	\$75,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits	25,000.00
Reserved for Taxes	1,233.72
Circulation	75,000.00
Due Banks	819.83
Due Depositors	286,774.86
Re-discounts	46,105.00
Dividends Unpaid	421.65
Dividend No. 35, this day, 4%	3,000.00
Total	\$512,855.06

THOS. W. LONG, Cashier

CONDENSED STATEMENT

of the condition of the

BANK OF HOPKINSVILLE

at the Close of Business
Dec. 31st, 1907.

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts	\$360,403.64
Banking House	23,000.00
Stocks and Bonds	51,000.00
Cash and Sight Exchange	110,210.91
Total	\$544,614.55

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock	\$100,000.00
Surplus Fund	35,000.00
Undivided Profits	1,867.06
Due Depositors	324,061.76
Due Other Banks	41,421.78
Dividends Unpaid	264.00
Dividend No. 35, this day, 4%	4,000.00
Re-discounts	38,000.00
Total	\$544,614.55

J. E. McPHERSON, Cashier.

Condensed Semi-Annual Statement

PLANTERS BANK & TRUST CO.

(Incorporated)
HOPKINSVILLE, KY.

December 31st, 1907

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts	\$283,686.32
Mortgages	13,158.67
Stocks and Bonds	5,250.00
Overdrafts	2,207.27
Office Furniture and Fixtures	6,500.00
Banking House	22,300.00
Cash	\$71,605.32
Due from Bank	29,247.52
Total	\$433,950.10

LIABILITIES

Capital stock	\$100,000.00
Surplus Fund	15,000.00
Undivided Profits	8,000.00
Unpaid Dividends	15.00
Dividend No. 61, this day, 4%	73,000.00
Re-discounts	73,000.00
Due Banks	1,111.12
Individual Deposits	288,823.98
Total	\$433,950.10

JOHN B. TRICE, Cashier.
Amount of Trust Business
this date \$312,589.25

CARRIERS OF MAIL

MUST REFUSE TO TRANSPORT
LIQUOR ON THEIR ROUTES.

Postmaster General Issues Orders and
Contractors For Star Route
Service Must Take Notice.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—Postmaster General Meyer has issued an order which has a direct bearing upon the prohibition movement. The order is as follows:

"It is hereby ordered that it shall be a condition of any contract hereafter entered into for carrying the mails upon star, screen wagon, messenger or special service route that the contract carrier shall not transport intoxicating liquor from one point to another upon such route while in the performance of mail service."

The bids for star route service is what is known as the second section, comprising North Carolina, South Carolina, Florida, Georgia, Alabama, Mississippi, Tennessee and Kentucky, and will be opened Wednesday, January 8, and as a consequence beginning on July 1 next, every contractor in the states mentioned will be prohibited from carrying intoxicating liquors on his route.

The order will become effective at once, however, in many sections of the country where it is necessary to install new and supplementary service. It is believed that this order will have a far-reaching effect and will meet the approval of a large number of people, judging by the enormous number of complaints that have been sent here to the department.

Why

should your baby suffer? When he is fretful and restless, don't experiment on him and use any old thing your neighbor recommends. Buy a bottle of White's Cream Vermifuge, greatest known worm medicine and cure for all children's diseases. It is mild in its action builds up the system, makes thin puny babies fat. Mrs. J. C. Smith, Tampa Fla., writes: "My baby was thin and sickly, could not retain its food and cried all night. I used one bottle of White's Cream Vermifuge and in a few days baby was laughing happy and well."

Sold by L. A. Johnson & Co.

The Good of it.

In discussing the proposition to raise no tobacco in 1908, the Grant County News says:

"Diversified farming is what this county in the tobacco growing district of Kentucky needs, and we venture the prediction that if there is no tobacco grown next year that never again will there be as much tobacco grown in this county as in many other White Burley counties as there have been in the past. Land owners and tenants will learn by experience that with a variety of crops such as this good land produces, their bank books will show a more comfortable balance at the year's end and the farm will be more fertile for having given up tobacco culture. The entire curtailment of the 1908 crop can produce but one effect, a shortage in the supply of marketable tobacco that will send prices skyward, with the logical result that farmers having one or two crops of tobacco on hand will receive more in actual money for what they have than they would if they were to pile up another crop on top of the one they already have for all three crops."

Two Unwelcome Visitors Here

At this season La Grippe and Pneumonia cause more deaths than consumption. Foley's Honey and Tar cures La Grippe coughs that may result in pneumonia over night. Do not take chances with a cold when Foley's Honey and Tar will quickly cure it.

L. A. Johnson & Co.

Dr. Edwards, Specialist,

Eye, Ear, Nose and

Throat. Test made free of

charge for glasses. Phoenix

Bldg., Main St., Hop-

kinsville, Ky.

To check a cold quickly, get from your druggists some little Candy Cold tablets called Preventives. Druggists everywhere are now dispensing Preventives, for they are not only safe, but decidedly certain and prompt. Preventives contain no Quinine, no laxative, nothing harsh nor sickening. Taken at the "sneeze stage" Preventives will cure Pneumonia, Bronchitis, La Grippe, etc. Hence the name, Preventives. Good for feverish children. 48 Preventives 25 cts. Trial boxes 5 cts. Sold by Anderson-Fowler Drug Co., Incorporated.

TURNED BACK

LEBANON, Ky., Jan. 6.—Mayor Thomas, being warned that "Night Riders" were approaching to attack the Continental warehouse, put forty heavily armed citizens on guard. The raiders learning of the preparations, turned back.

It Does the Business

Mr. E. E. Chamberlain, of Clinton Maine, says of Bucklen's Arnica Salve: "It does the business; I have used it for piles and it cured them. Applied it to an old sore and it healed it without leaving a scar behind. Used it for chapped hands and it cured them." 25c at Cook & Higgins and Co. K's Pharmacy.

"MARRYING PARSON" WEDS.

A license has been issued for the marriage of Rev. P. P. Gladdish and Miss Lena May Skeen. The details of the prospective wedding could not be learned, but if previous notice is given of it the event will probably be one of the best attended which ever took place in North Christian. The groom-to-be might well be termed "the marrying parson of North Christian," for he has welded into one the hearts of probably more couples than any other one person in that region. The prospective bride is one of the most popular young ladies of that section.

This is Worth Remembering

Whenever you have a cough or cold, just remember that Foley's Honey and Tar will cure it. Do not risk your health by taking any but the genuine. It is in a yellow package. L. A. Johnson & Co.



Don't Prolong The Agony

Have that aching tooth attended to at once. If the tooth is beyond repair have it out and a painless and more desirable one substituted. If the pain is caused by an exposed nerve and it is possible to fill the cavity we will do it in a thoroughly satisfactory manner.

All Dental Work

is done by our improved method, which practically eliminates pain. A good set of teeth for \$5. Painless extracting 25c.

Louisville Dental Parlors.

Dr. Feinstein & Smith, Mgrs.
Next to Court House, Hopkinsville

CONDENSED STATEMENT

of the condition of the

City Bank

Hopkinsville, Ky.,
at the close of business
December 31, 1907.

Assets.

Loans	\$311,129.96
Bonds	102,482.50
Banking House and Lot	17,000.00
Real Estate for Debt	2,000.00
Debt in Suit	33.39
Office Furniture and Fixtures	3,000.00
Cash and Exchange for Clearings	46,068.54
Sight Exchange	50,964.54
Total	\$532,668.38

Liabilities.

Capital stock	\$60,000.00
Surplus	70,000.00
Contingent fund	3,060.42
Bills Rediscounted	60,000.00
Dividend No. 55 this day, 4%	3,000.00
Deposits	314,274.58
Due to banks	22,338.55
Total	\$532,668.38

W. T. TANDY, Cashier.

Fourth Semi-Annual Statement

Commercial & Savings Bank

Hopkinsville, Ky.

December 31st, 1907

RESOURCES.

Bills discounted	\$180,931.58
Overdrafts	1,630.86
Furniture and Fixtures	8,316.58
Due from Banks	46,200.15
Cash and Cash Items	30,824.96
Total	267,904.13

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock	\$50,000.00
Surplus	2,000.00
Undivided Profits	885.80
Unpaid Dividends	15.00
Dividend No. 3, 3 per cent this day declared	1,500.01
Bills Rediscounted	46,000.00
Deposits	167,453.33
Total	267,904.13

GUST T. BRANNON, Cashier.

HEAVY RECEIPTS

OF LOOSE TOBACCO ON LOCAL TOBACCO MARKET

Prizing Houses Working at Capacity To Keep Up With Demand Of Trade.

Heavy receipts for loose tobacco continue at this point, the weather conditions being admirable for the handling of the weed. All rehandling and association prizing houses are working at full capacity in working up the tobacco according to the demands of their trade. Several of the prizing houses for the association have received such large amounts, four of them at least, that their quarters proved too small to handle and store it, and they were forced to secure additional warehouses in which to care for their receipts.

The local salesman reports receipts of types from a number of hogheads of tobacco for the Planters' Protective association, there now being about three hundred of these types here. These will not be for sale, however, until duplicate samples which were sent to the association headquarters at Guthrie have been graded and the reports of same made here. Then the prices will be put on the types according to the price schedule and the tobacco will be ready for the inspection of the buyers.

There is nothing doing on the general market and will not be for some time yet. Since the loose floor was destroyed by Night Riders this branch of the market has not been re-established and nothing is being done in this line.

Every indication continues to point to high prices when the market does open in earnest. The association claims to have made arrangements for floating loans and this will tide the farmers over and allow them to hold their tobacco as long as is necessary. Prices on loose tobacco ruled high and there is nothing to indicate that there will be a slump when the hoghead market opens.

The heavy receipts here are indicative of the same conditions at all tobacco markets throughout the country. Those places where independent dealers have houses have seen much activity in this branch of the market. The association has let contracts to prizers throughout the district, nearly every crossroads or country hamlet having a prizer. All of these prizing houses have been doing a rushing business which promises to increase rather than diminish.

A schedule of prices, reported to be the official schedule which was adopted at Guthrie by the executive committee of the Planters' Protective association, has been going the rounds of the press but now several papers, claiming to have their information direct from headquarters, have denied that these prices were correct. According to the published schedule the prices which will be asked for the 1907 crop of tobacco ranged from \$7 to \$25 per hundred. If such a schedule has been finally adopted the salesman at this point has not been notified of the range of prices. It is even said that the schedule has not been finally arranged, but that the officials of the association are still working on it.

Lame Shoulder Cured

Lame shoulder is usually caused by rheumatism of the muscles and quickly yields to a few applications of Chamberlain's Pain Balm. Mrs. F. H. McElwee, of Boistown, New Brunswick, writes: "Having been troubled for some time with a pain in my left shoulder, I decided to give Chamberlain's Pain Balm a trial, with the result that I got prompt relief." For sale by Anderson-Fowler Drug Co., Incorporated.

A Card

This is to certify that all druggists are authorized to refund your money if Foley's Honey and Tar fails to cure your cough and cold. It stops the cough, heals the lungs and prevents serious results from a cold. Cures La Grippe, coughs, and prevents pneumonia and consumption. Contains no opiates. The genuine is in a yellow package. Refuse substitutes. L. A. Johnson & Co.

Don't Take The Risk.

When you have a bad cough or cold do not let it drag along until it becomes chronic bronchitis or develops into an attack of pneumonia but give it the attention it deserves and get rid of it. Take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and you are sure of prompt relief. From a small beginning the sale and use of this preparation has extended to all parts of the United States and to many foreign countries. Its many remarkable cures of coughs and colds have won for it this wide reputation and extensive use. Sold by Anderson-Fowler Drug Co., Incorporated.

S.S.S. MADE FROM ROOTS AND HERBS

A SAFE AND RELIABLE BLOOD PURIFIER

In the time of our forefathers the forests and fields were the only laboratories from which they could procure their medicines. They searched out and compounded the different roots, herbs and barks into remedies, many of which have been handed down to succeeding generations, and continuously used with satisfactory results. Among the very best of these old time preparations is S. S. S., a medicine made entirely from roots, herbs and barks, in such combination as to make it the greatest of all blood purifiers. This absolute vegetable purity of S. S. S. makes it the one medicine that may be used without fear of harmful results in any way. Most blood medicines on the market contain mercury, potash, or some other strong mineral. These act with bad effect on the system, upsetting the stomach, interfering with the digestion, affecting the bowels, and when used for a prolonged period of time often cause salivation. No such effects ever result from the use of S. S. S., and it may be taken by children as safely as by older people. For Rheumatism, Catarrh, Sores and Ulcers, Malaria, Scrofula, Skin Diseases, and all other troubles caused by impure or poisoned blood, S. S. S. is a perfect remedy. It goes down into the circulation and removes all poisons, impurities, humors or unhealthy matter, and makes the blood pure and rich. It eliminates every particle of the taint of inherited blood trouble, purifies and strengthens the weak, deteriorated blood, and establishes the foundation for good health. S. S. S. is Nature's Blood Purifier, and its many years of successful service, with a steadily increasing demand for it, is the best evidence of its value in all blood troubles. Book on the blood and any medical advice free of charge. THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., ATLANTA, GA.

I take this means of
thanking my friends
and customers for their
liberal patronage dur-
ing the past year, and
wish them all a happy
and prosperous New
Year.

Respectfully,

T. M. JONES

Bank of Hopkinsville

Capital, \$100,000.00

Surplus, \$35,000.00

With the largest combined Capital and Surplus of any bank in Christian county, supplied with modern burglar proof safe and vault, we are prepared to OFFER OUR DEPOSITORS EVERY PROTECTION FOR THEIR MONEY

3 per Cent. Interest on Time Certificates of Deposit

HENRY C. GANT, President.
J. E. McPHERSON, Cashier.
H. L. McPHERSON, Asst. Cashier

The Young New Year

This is a good time to make up your mind what you will achieve for the year. Have you thought about it? Why not? Just figure out how much you can put by in the next 12 months; then open a savings account here and don't let anything stand in your way--DO IT. There are few men or women who can not save a sum worth while in a year. A sum sufficient to buy a lot, an automobile or to start one in a small business. Your account will be greatly appreciated.

We Pay Every Dollar Back
With 3 per Cent Interest



REGULAR MEETING

OF PLANTERS' ASSOCIATION AT
THE COURTHOUSELegal Action to be Taken For Viola-
tion of Pledges.—Vice Chairman
Fowler's Speech.

(From Monday's Daily.)

The circuit court room was packed this morning with farmers and citizens when the first regular monthly meeting of the Christian county executive committee of the Planters Protective association for the new year was called to order by Chairman W. W. Radford. The grand jury adjourned its session, in order that the association could use the room, and the jurors attended the meeting. Inside the railing there was a good representation of the committeemen who made their reports. These reports from every section showed that the organization was practically solid throughout the county, and that about all independent tobacco remaining had been sold and delivered. There were a few reports of association members who had sold their crops in violation of the pledges and it was ordered that these reports should be investigated and if found correct that legal proceedings should at once be instituted against the offending members for the commissions coming to the association and the amount of damages. None of the districts reported any friction of any kind.

G. L. Campbell made a report on the amount of tobacco which had been delivered to the prize houses in Hopkinsville. According to this report there has been 1,341,923 pounds of tobacco delivered here to the prize houses and of this amount 509,655 pounds has been prize and stored in the storage houses. On this tobacco which has not yet been prize insurance to the amount of \$51,250 is carried which is considered ample to cover it. The storage houses reported that they had received 437 hogheads on which there is \$71,000 insurance in force.

Chairman Radford announced that many people had come to him with complaints as to the way in which the affairs of the association were being run and recommendations as to how things should be changed. To all of these, no matter what their station was, he extended an invitation to attend the regular monthly meetings and by their advice and counsel help correct any defects that there might be in the organization.

Judge W. T. Fowler, vice-chairman of the county committee, was then introduced, and he addressed the assembly in regard to existing conditions. Judge Fowler's central idea was a plea for the maintenance of law and the upholding of the various officials who had sworn to do their duty. In regard to the reported action of certain members selling tobacco in violation of their pledges he stated that the courts of Kentucky had decided that this was nothing short of a violation of contract and that legal proceedings were the correct way in which to remedy the trouble. He stated that he felt sure that no farmer in the county upheld in any way the outrage which was committed in this city and he knew that they sympathized with the citizens in their feelings in regard to the flagrant violation of the law.

Judge Fowler said that some even contended that some people thought that the officials were making mistakes in the way in which they were attempting to meet the conditions, but that this was not a question for the people to decide but it was their duty to uphold them in their efforts. He cited the beginning of the association and how, by overcoming obstacles and despite strong criticism, it had survived and grew steadily stronger until now it controlled the situation and had raised the price of their tobacco and thus accomplished the purpose for which it was formed.

Judge Fowler took the newspapers to task for what he claimed were highly exaggerated accounts of the gravity of the situation and in this connection he referred to the report in yesterday's Courier Journal of rumors of a great crowd to be here today and said that on account of this news Gov. Willson had sent down a Gatling gun. He said that either he nor no other right-thinking man could blame the governor for taking this action if he thought was necessary. He also referred to anonymous notes which have reported dealing with the element of negro labor as "news" and asked every farmer who was afraid of

RIDERS RAID
TWO TOWNS IN
SAME NIGHTBethel, in Bath County, and Sherburne, in Fleming
County, Invaded and Two Tobacco Houses
and One General Store Are Burn-
ed To the Ground.

OWINGSVILLE, Ky., Jan. 7.—A masked gang of Night Riders, numbering about one hundred persons, armed and mounted on horses, raided the towns of Bethel, in this county, and Sherburne, in Fleming county, last night and the early hours of this morning.

Two Places Burned.

At Bethel, the raiders burned A. T. Robinson's tobacco warehouse and destroyed the general merchandise store of Peters Brothers.

The tobacco house contained about sixty thousand pounds of tobacco.

Another Town.

The Night Riders, after applying the torch at Bethel, galloped to the town of Sherburne, where they burned to the ground the large tobacco warehouse of Dougherty Brothers.

This house contained one hundred thousand pounds of tobacco.

Loss Is Heavy.

The tobacco losses by reason of the raids aggregate \$25,000. Peters Brothers loss is large.

No shots were fired at either place.

INTERESTING NUPTIAL ROMANCE.

(From Saturday's Daily)

Mr. Reinhart Schone, of Frankfort, South Dakota, and Miss Lena Harris, a pretty Hopkinsville girl, were married at the residence of the bride by Rev. H. D. Smith. A year ago Miss Harris' photograph was reproduced in a newspaper which happened to fall in Mr. Schone's hands, and he was so taken with it that he asked permission to correspond with her. Though they had

never seen each other mutual love sprang from their epistolary acquaintance, and Mr. Schone came from his far Western home to pursue his courtship at close range, and the romance culminated in a pretty home wedding on New Year's day at the residence of Mrs. Mattie Harris, on Twelfth street. A brother of the bridegroom acted as best man. Mr. and Mrs. Schone will leave for South Dakota to reside.

A tickling cough, from any cause, is quickly stopped by Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure. And it is so thoroughly harmless and safe that Dr. Shoop tells mothers everywhere to give it without hesitation even to very young babies. The wholesome green leaves and tender stems of a lung-healing mountain shrub furnish the curative properties to Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure. It calms the cough and heals the sore and sensitive bronchial membranes. No opium, no chloroform, nothing harsh used to injure or to suppress. Simply a resinous plant extract that helps to heal aching lungs. The Spaniards call this shrub which the doctor uses, "The Sacred Herb." Demand Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure. Sold by Anderson & Fowler Drug Co., incorporated.

any scarcity of labor on this account to stand up, and no one stood up. He then laid the same proposition before the negroes present and none of them stood up.

He then took up the duty of the members of the association to do all in their power to stamp out lawlessness, and when he stated that no cause, even from the farmers' standpoint, was sufficient for the commission of such crimes as had been perpetrated, he was loudly applauded. He uttered a word of caution about the spreading of the many, and mostly unfounded, reports which were to be met with everywhere, and he counseled a strict censorship upon the tongue of every man, and that he wear a smile and by wise thought and action and good fellowship do all that was possible to right the disturbed conditions. He said that when an association member violated the law it was even a greater crime than when a trust employee did it, for when a trust employee broke the law he injured only himself and his immediate associates, but when an association member violated the law he injured the entire body. He closed the address with the plea that they should all stand firmly together for law and order and their rights in all things, and prophesied that the association would then be established as the greatest and most successful organization which the world has ever seen.

How to Avoid Appendicitis

Most victims of appendicitis are those who are habitually constipated. Foley's Orino Laxative cures chronic constipation by stimulating the liver and bowels and restores the natural action of the bowels. Foley's Orino Laxative does not nauseate or gripe and is mild and pleasant to take it. Refuse substitutes. L. A. Johnson & Co.

Of Vital Importance.

No other organs of the body are so essential to good health as the kidneys. Foley's Kidney Remedy makes the kidneys healthy so that they will strain out the impurities from the blood which is constantly passing through them. Commence taking Foley's Kidney Remedy at the first sign of danger. L. A. Johnson & Co.

FEED
STORE.

I have opened a feed store on corner of 5th and Virginia streets and will be glad to have your patronage.

H. J. Yonts.

GET A GATLING GUN

OFFICERS FINALLY HAVE THEIR
REQUEST GRANTED.Squad Will Be Organized In Hopkins-
ville to Operate Machine.—Sta-
tioned Near Courthouse.

The efforts of the officers of the Third regiment to secure a Gatling gun have finally been rewarded, the gun being received here last night and it will remain permanently. The gun is the genuine "Gatling" and has a shooting capacity of about 600 or 600 shots per minute. This morning it was polished until it shone like burnished gold by the members of Co. H., and as it stood on the pavement at the courthouse it attracted the attention of every one.

As stated before the gun will remain here permanently. Each regiment of state militia is supposed to have a Gatling gun and squad but until this time the Third regiment has not been so provided and whenever a rapid fire gun was sent anywhere in their territory it had to come from some other regiment. For several years an effort has been on foot to secure the location of a gun at Hopkinsville. An operating squad, which will be entirely distinct from Co. D., may be organized and drilled in the handling of the gun.

Simple Remedy for La Grippe.

La Grippe coughs are dangerous as they frequently develop into pneumonia. Foley's Honey and Tar not only stops the cough but heals and strengthens the lungs so that no serious results need be feared. The genuine Foley's Honey and Tar contains no harmful drugs and is in a yellow package. Refuse substitutes. L. A. JOHNSON & CO.

The Pure Food Law.

Secretary Willson says, "One of the objects of the law is to inform the consumer of the presence of certain harmful drugs in medicines." The law requires that the amount of chloroform, opium, morphine, and other habit forming drugs be stated on the label of each bottle. The manufacturers of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy have always claimed that their remedy did not contain any of these drugs, and the truth of this claim is now fully proven, as no mention of them is made on the label. This remedy is not only one of the safest, but one of the best in use for coughs and colds. Its value has been proven beyond question during the many years it has been in general use. For sale by Anderson-Fowler Drug Co. (Incorporated)

CASITORIA.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Beware of
Signature
of
Chas. H. Fletcher

THE CITY COUNCIL HEARS ANNUAL REPORTS

The first meeting of the city council for the new year was held last night. The session was a busy one although the proceedings were of a routine nature incident to the first meeting of a new year.

The reports of the various officers were received and filed and the bonds for those which were required were presented and approved.

The report of the city treasurer shows a balance on hand of something over \$12,000, although the general fund shows a deficit of about \$9,000. The report of Dr. R. L. Woodard, health officer, was read, this giving the statistics regarding the birth and death rate, contagious diseases, nuisances, etc., and making recommendations for the betterment of the sanitary conditions of the city. The annual message of the mayor was read.

R. M. Tunks, secretary and treasurer for the fire department, gave his report of the fire losses during the year which shows the following interesting figures: Total loss during the year, \$133,696, of which \$125,000 is charged to the raid by Night Riders on the morning of December 7. Total amount of insurance reported \$83,895, this being the amount carried on the risks and not what was actually paid upon the losses. Alarms 44, false alarms 6, hose used 14,050 feet and time spent in fighting fire, 37 hours and 35 minutes.

The board of health was reappointed, these being R. E. Cooper, E. B. Long and W. T. Tandy. This board has the power to appoint a secretary. The city engineer and cemetery sexton were clothed with police authority.

The budget of accounts allowed amounted to \$240.02.

E. B. Long, President.

W. T. Tandy, Cashier.

CITY BANK

We invite your account as safe depository for your funds. Deposit your valuable papers in our vaults—safe from fire and burglars.

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Talmage Sermon.

By Rev. Frank De Witt Talmage, D. D.

Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 5.—What we think we are, what we really are and what we most desire to be is the theme of this practical sermon, the preacher taking for his text James I. xlii, "He is like unto a man beholding his natural face in a mirror" (R. V.).

It is a strange fact that most people know little of their physical appearance. The shrewd Scottish poet's desire is familiar to us all:

Oh, wad some power the gittie gie us
To see ourselves as others see us.

But the "gittie" he invoked never gave the power. No man ever sees himself as he is seen either by his friends or by his enemies. When looking at ourselves we nearly always have blurred spectacles. Sir Anthony Vandike, like other great portrait painters, used his own face for a model, but it is very likely the picture was not true to life.

Queen Elizabeth bade the court artist omit the shadows from his picture of her face, the "shadows" being wrinkles that a straw might have been laid in.

She had not the courage of Cromwell, who told the artist to paint him as he was and not leave out the warts. Most of us want to look better than we are, and we often deceive even ourselves.

I once heard a great speaker give a humorous description of how he first saw himself as others saw him. Like most of us, up to that time he never knew how he looked, but one day a friend took him to visit "the Hall of a Thousand Mirrors." When he went into this palace he found the floors, the ceilings, the walls, all composed of looking glasses. In these thousand mirrors he saw his own face and body reflected in a thousand different places. He saw every motion and gesture repeated from every angle and learned how he appeared full face and side-wise, and he was unpleasantly astonished. "What?" he soliloquized. "Do I look like those people? Do I act like those people? Well, one fact is certain—other people may like me, but I could never learn to like myself." The easiest place in all the world for an average man to kill his egotism and vanity would be for him occasionally to visit a "hall of a thousand mirrors," where he can see himself as others see him.

The figure of my text implies that we are as unconscious of our faults of character as we are of our physical defects. As the man vain of his outward appearance is reproved by his mirror, so the man proud of his character is reproved when he looks into God's word. But he, like the other, is prone to forget the revelation and goeth his way, forgetting what manner of man he is. This is unfortunate, because we might remedy the defects of our character if we studied them and sought God's help.

The Defects of Character.
There are other mirrors that help us to get a true estimate of ourselves, and I want to point out this morning how we may use them for our self-improvement. In the first place, I want you to carefully examine the reflections we may see in the looking glasses held before our faces by the loving hands of our best and tenderest and dearest friends. It is not by any means a pleasant mirror to look at. Somehow many of us are deceived by the idea that friends above all mankind should think that our faces are perfect faces and our natures perfect natures, but that is unreasonable. The true friend by intimate association may find virtues in us hidden from the eyes of the rest of the world, but he also finds imperfections in us which the world does not see. Then the true friend proves his affection by pointing out to us those defects and warning us against the disasters that may come from them. Wise is the man and the woman and the child who heed the warnings spoken by those they love.

Those warnings began to come to us way back in our childhood days, when we were surrounded by our brothers and sisters. We now live in a great big world where we have hundreds, perhaps thousands, of acquaintances. We have daily and hourly dealings with our fellow men. But I want to tell you that in all your business and domestic career as a mature man the besetting sins of your life are not more self evident to your friends than they were to your father, and especially to your mother, when you played with your brothers and sisters in the nursery. You can feel that loving maternal eye now boring straight into your heart and finding the flaws there. Even now you can hear her say, "John, the reason you took that big apple from your little sister is because you are selfish, and that is the besetting sin you must fight all your life." Or she says, "John, you are naturally deceitful." "John, that was the act of a coward." "John, the difficulty about you is you are vain and jealous. You hate to hear any one else praised. You are not satisfied unless every one is praising you." Though years have passed since your mother uttered those words, yet you know she placed her finger upon the weakest part of your nature. Today, though she is dead, you know that she did her duty to you by showing you your reflection in the looking glass.

The True Friend's Criticism.
Time passed, and you entered the great wide world, and you began to

make a success. Then false mirrors were held up to deceive you. There gathered about you a lot of sycophants and social vampires. These toddlers praise you and fawn over you and flatter you. When they are away from you they make fun of you and talk about your weaknesses. An old Spanish proverb says, "The absent are always wrong," so you are always wrong to them when you are absent. But when these hangers on are with you they have nothing but words of praise for you and your wonderful deeds.

But, thank God, though there are many who talk against you when you are absent, there are a few noble friends who will criticize your faults to your face. They will come up and lay their hands lovingly on your shoulders and say, "Charlie, I would not do that." Or they say, "Charlie, you have an evil habit on you now, and it is eating all the honesty and nobility and purity out of your heart, and you must stop or you will ruin yourself." You may laugh off these warnings and forget them or you may get angry at your true friends, but the friends who are lifting the looking glass before you and showing your imperfections are your true friends. Will you heed these warnings? Will you correct those weaknesses of your character? Are all the glorious opportunities of your life to be ruined by that one flaw in your nature which your friends have pointed out, but which you neglect to rectify?

But there is another reflecting mirror held up before our eyes. That is the mirror with which our enemies delight to show our delinquencies to ourselves and to the world. It is a mirror into which most of us look with flashing eye and flushed cheek. But it is a reflecting mirror which ought to be as helpful for our moral and spiritual development as the one which our friends uplift. This mirror has a way of magnifying and intensifying our weaknesses. Like the caricature, it has a way of making prominent the flaws of our nature, and yet at the same time making it very plain for whom the portrait was intended.

Hogarth's Pen.
These enemies do with the reflecting mirrors what William Hogarth did with his brush and pen. Have you ever been in the museums where they had one room filled with concave and convex mirrors? You stand before one mirror, and you seem to be a little short, fat man about four feet high and weighing at least 400 pounds. Then you look into another mirror, and instead of being a little short, fat man, now you will be twelve feet tall and about as wide as a match. Yet, tall and thin, short and fat, you can see in those concave and convex mirrors the same eyes, lips, hands and hair. So our enemies in life take us and pull us out or shove us in and twist us all out of shape in order to magnify our faults; but, though they expose our errors with unflinching skill, we still retain enough of our original selves to let the world know who we are and what we have done. And today for our own benefit they are lifting up the reflecting mirrors for us to have a good look at our errors and imperfections.

But there is still another way in which we can see our reflections in the mirrors of our imperfect lives. That is when we stand surrounded by the tragedies and the misfortunes resultant from the mistakes of our past. These misfortunes have their stories to tell, just the same as successes have their stories to tell. Though some men may achieve success in spite of glaring faults in their makeup, yet few men ever come to failure unless that failure is the result of some folly or sin which, if it had been discerned in time, could have been rectified. And the man who is not willing to see his faults by his failures is a man who is blind indeed and who will not be taught by the sternest and yet best of all teachers.

Child Playing With Fire.
Here, for instance, is a little child. He will persist in playing with fire. One day out in the back yard near to the farm he is gathering the leaves and starts them in a flame. The farm hand gets there just in time to scatter the leaves and save all the hay which had been stored away in the loft. Next day the boy is playing with matches in the nursery, and in a flash a whole box goes off, but the older sister throws them out of the window in time to save the lace curtains. The mother has warned the little boy and told him the danger, but no good results. "All right," says the father, "that boy must be taught what fire really is. He must learn by an experience he will remember." So when the boy is about to touch the hot stove his father does not interfere. The boy burns his hand and screams with pain. The mother is in tears. The father is in tears. But the boy has learned his lesson. He now knows that fire will burn, and therefore he leaves the matches alone. Hard was the lesson for the boy, hard, too, for the father, but the pain was worth the cure. So with God and his erring children. We have certain faults and weaknesses. Our friends have told us about them. Our enemies have held up the mirrors for us to see our faults, but we would not. God is sorry, but if we will learn in no other way we must learn in that. Some tragedy comes to our life, and we say: "What a misfortune! How could our loving Father allow that to fall upon us?" My friend, it is not a misfortune. It is discipline. That fault in you had to be corrected to save you from worse evil. Be thankful that it was sent to you, and take care you learn the lesson it was sent to teach.

We are puzzled when this experience happens to us, though we are able to trace back the evil causes of our neighbors' tragedies. Indeed, it is far easier for a physician to diagnose the disease of another man than to prescribe for

the malignant fever that is burning his own vitals. When we go through life and find one trouble coming to one man and another trouble coming to another man and still another trouble coming to a third we say: "There, I told you so. Those men were once boys with me and grew up with me, and I knew they would come to no good end. Why, years ago, those men were laying the foundations of these very failures. I knew it and told them so."

Have You Degenerated?
Carry your thoughts back to the days of your old Christian home. Are you not startled at the changes in your life? Have you not degenerated? If today you could make a large sum of money by unloading a lot of worthless land as future building lots upon some ignorant purchaser who had not yet cut his wisdom teeth, would you do it? How are you different from your old friend whose misfortunes you were just discussing? The only difference between you and him is the rapidity with which you are losing your moral and spiritual integrity. Are you going to forget the weakness that overthrew your old schoolmate? As one who looks into a mirror and then turns away and forgets how he appears, will you ignore the lessons which your neighbors' misfortunes are preaching to you?

But if we can see our sins reflected in the moral and spiritual tragedies of those about us, can we not see what we might become by Christian grace in the joy and the happiness of those who are living about us and who are living for the higher life? If the mightiest temperance lessons are preached by the intoxicated man, staggering and hiccoughing along the public highway, so the greatest truths of gospel peace are preached in the smiling, radiant and triumphant looks of those who for years have been walking with and living near Christ. And if you will go to some of those consecrated, happy Christians they will tell you that once they were just as you are now. But the redeeming power of the Lord Jesus Christ came into their lives and entirely changed their hearts and their whole natures. What they once loved they now hate. And as they talk they seem to hold up to us a reflecting mirror showing us our nobler and better selves as they say: "Brother, you can be like that. Sister, you can be like that. Will you let Christ work in you his miracle as he has done in our natures?" Oh, my brother, in the lives of your Christian friends have you never caught a momentary reflection of what your spiritual face, by the grace of God, might become? Are you going to shut your eyes to that divine revelation as the man beholding his natural face in a mirror turns away and forgets how he looks?

I want to ask you still another question. Is it not a fact as the tragedies of your own life have been swooping down upon you with terrific anguish that you have been longing more and more for the rapturous look you have seen in the peaceful countenance of your friends who have been living near and ever nearer to Christ?

If this fact is true when we look into the happy faces of our dear ones, how much truer is it when we look into the divine face of Jesus himself! Even in the best of our friends' faces we can find some flaws if we only study those faces long enough, but in the face of Christ there is no flaw. There is a transforming power in the contemplation of that reflection. That is the divine secret of the changed character. "We all with unveiled face, beholding as in a mirror the glory of the Lord, are transformed into the same image from glory to glory." Into that mirror let us ever look, and as we behold the perfection of that divine character so will our own characters be changed into the same image. "We shall become like him, for we shall see him as he is."

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Recommendations Are Made to the Legislature.—Proposes Change of Venue Enactment.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Jan. 9.—The first message of Gov. A. E. Willson to the general assembly was read in both houses. In addition to recommendations covering the reforms to which he pledged himself during the campaign, a large portion of the document is devoted to a stirring recital of the lawlessness which has developed in the tobacco war, accompanied by a vigorous denunciation of the malefactors and two specific recommendations having for their object the breaking up of the troubles.

The governor opens his message by a reference to the general prosperity of the commonwealth and the observance of public order with one exception. To that exception—the Night Rider outrages—the message gives greater space than any other topic. After recounting the various outrages the governor sums up as follows:

"In the meantime, not a benefit has resulted to the oppressed farmers from those acts of violence and intimidation. Even those who were members of the association have had their property tied up, and liberty, in places, threatened by these bands. It is an idle theory and farce. Factories and warehouses which the farmers warmly welcomed have been burned and many others closed forever.

Market Destroyed.

"Our tobacco market is nearly destroyed. Large customers are being taught that it is safer and better to buy elsewhere; large crops remain unsold; managers, who have been promised large prices for pooled crops above the market price, have seen the buyers driven from the field, and no one can tell when the end will come, but everyone can see that the result, up to this time, is that our markets, not only for tobacco, but for other products, are paralyzed, and in many cases ruined; that in large districts, the law has been wholly overthrown and the poor people who have no one to take care of them, are deprived of the protection of the people's laws, and have lost their liberty and are helpless; that the price of nearly every acre of good land in Kentucky has gone down; that thousands of people wish to move out of Kentucky to stay where they hope that it is safer to live, and the very flower of our working population wishes to leave the state, as thousands have done before; that it has been necessary in order to allay the fears of frightened people, even in a large city like Hopkinsville, to keep a company of militia on duty at great expense and with great hardship on the young men who are taken from their ordinary business and work; that lawless and unprincipled men have been constantly ready to break out in several counties, unrestrained by law or public sentiment, and that the people of Kentucky are brought suddenly and squarely to face the question, whether the laws of more than two millions, or the violence of a few hundred shall prevail.

Loss of Liberty.

"There can be no doubt of the final result. Our people desire the full protection of the law and love their liberty, and feel that they had better lose not only part of the value of their tobacco, but even their farms, rather than lose their liberty.

"The only question left is whether this shall be soon or long delayed; whether it shall be at once, to prevent further injury or where, continuing for months, it shall practically destroy the business and the property value of the whole people and decimate our population by removals to other states.

"The executive will faithfully uphold the law, but it is the people's law and its strength is in the support of the people of their own laws."

The message then makes specific recommendations for certain technical changes to be made in the statutes governing change of venue so that the granting of such a change of venue becomes imperative on the judge of any county where lawlessness or intimidation place any obstacles in the way of prompt and fair trials.

The governor further recommends the immediate appointment of a commission with full power to investigate the economic causes leading up to the tobacco troubles—that is to ascertain whether the price

have been forced down by a trust or combination of buyers.

Other Matters.

Other matters dealt with at length by the governor are redistricting the state so as to give equitable representation in the general assembly and complete reorganization of the system of taxation. He recommends the passage of bills, already prepared by commissions of public spirited citizens, dealing with these subjects.

On temperance the message recommends the passage of a uniform local option law with the county as the unit. It also recommends important changes in the laws governing registration and elections; requests a complete change from the present method of managing state charities and penal institutions, non-partisan boards being recommended and declares for a law compelling public for campaign contributions.

Mule Market Busy.

The mule market, which for some time past has been more or less quiet, opened this week with a rush. Yesterday a buyer of mules for the southern points purchased a car load of Christian county hard tails which put into the pockets of the owners somethings between \$5,000 and \$6,000. The mules brought fancy prices ranging from \$150 to \$200 per head. It is said that the indications are that the demand will still further increase and prices will rise accordingly.

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If you suffer from offensive breath, raising of mucous, frequent sneezing, husky voice, discharge from the nose, dropping into the throat, loss of strength, spasmodic coughing, general weakness and ability, or any other catarrhal symptom, begin the use of Hyomel at once. It will destroy all disease germs in the nose, throat and lungs, soothe the irritated mucous membrane, and make a thorough and lasting cure of catarrh.

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There is no dangerous stomach drugging when Hyomel is used. Breathed through a neat pocket inhaler that comes with every dollar outfit, its healing balsams destroy all catarrhal germs, even in the most remote air cells, and quick recovery follows.

Mr. Starling Excused.

On account of illness J. M. Starling has been excused from serving on board of tax supervisors which is now in session, and W. R. Long was named in his stead.

Mr. Starling has been ill for some time and yesterday he left for Rochester, Minn., where an operation will probably be performed for his relief. Dr. F. P. Thomas accompanied him.

The first bill introduced in the Kentucky legislature was for the repeal of the dog tax law.

One Minute Cough Cure
Coughs, Colds and Croup

BY A BROKEN RAIL

WRECK OF A TRAIN WAS CAUSED NEAR KENNEDY.

J. W. Thacker, of Lafayette, One of the Passengers, Received Painful Injuries.

A small wreck occurred Tuesday afternoon on the Princeton branch of the L. & N., says the Clarksville Leaf-Chronicle. The accommodation was coming towards Clarksville and the wreck occurred between Kennedy and Glenellen. The train consisted of two passenger coaches and four freight cars loaded with wheat. The freight cars and coaches were ditched and, one passenger, J. W. Thacker, of Lafayette, Ky., was thrown from his seat in the coach and seriously cut about the face, the services of a physician being necessary to dress the wounds. The freight cars were badly damaged. The wreck was caused by a broken rail.

NEW COACH.

CADIZ, Ky., Jan. 9.—At a meeting of the directors of the Cadiz railroad here, President W. C. White was instructed to buy a new passenger coach for the road. The coach now in use here was bought at second hand when the road was first built about six years ago.

Public Sale.

As executor of Jas. D. Ware, deceased, I will offer for sale at public auction at the courthouse door in Hopkinsville, Ky., on Saturday, January 11th, 1908, one two-story dwelling house, with lot of ground on corner of 14th and Liberty Sts. in city of Hopkinsville. Terms made known on day of sale. For further particulars apply to the undersigned or to my attorneys, Trimble & Ball, 111 E. B. LONG, Executor.

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CAPT. PARRISH DEAD

FORMERLY PROMINENT CHRISTIAN COUNTY CITIZEN

He Was Noted as a Hunter and For The Hospitality Of His Home.

C. L. Bradley received a telegram today from Henry W. Parrish, of Montgomery, Ala., announcing the death at his home of his father, Capt. James S. Parrish, Monday night, and that the interment would take place in that city Wednesday, says the Clarksville Leaf-Chronicle.

The death of Capt. Parrish removes a man widely known throughout this section and universally beloved by all who knew him. He was 82 years old, and while he was born and reared in Green county, Ky., the greater portion of his life was spent in Christian and Montgomery counties. He joined the Salem Baptist church when 21 years of age and retained his membership in that church to his death. He had been twice married, his last wife having died four years ago, since which time he has spent his winters in the south, with his two sons, Henry and Charley, and the summers in this section with Mrs. Thomas, his niece, of New Providence, and his sister, Mrs. James McKenzie, of Edgerton.

Capt. Parrish, for many years, was a large farmer in Christian county, having owned one of the finest farms in that section. Having sold his farm, he engaged in the warehouse business in this city, where he won the respect of all who did business with him. Being of a social disposition, he succeeded in always drawing around him a host of friends who delighted to listen to his many stories of experience in life. He took great interest in fine horses and enjoyed a drive behind a roadster as well as any man. He was a great huntsman and when on a farm, and for years afterwards, he always kept fine bird dogs and a

good gun. His home was noted for its hospitality, the many friends always receiving a warm welcome from him and his family.

Truly one of nature's noblemen has been taken and many friends will mourn his death, because he was a true friend at all times.

STATE SUFFERING

We, as a state, are suffering from the non-enforcement of our compulsory education laws. Kentucky's humiliating position educationally, as compared with other states, can, I believe, be in a large measure accounted for by our indifference to the enforcement of these laws.

At one time the blame could be attached to the legislators for not framing such laws, but now it must be shouldered by the various school and county officers, and indirectly by the people themselves, for not putting into effect the law as it exists today. If some move is not made, we shall drag along as we have done, and Kentucky, that Kentucky of which we have been justly proud, first in war that is just, first in peace that is honorable, will finish at the foot of the line.

The Much Offended Child.

As the matter now stands, every district in the state has at least eight school officers, and yet no child attends school whose parents prefer to keep him at home.

There is first the superintendent of public instruction, who with the secretary of state, and the attorney general, constitute the state board of Education.

Then, under this board, we have the county superintendent, the district trustees, and, finally, the teacher.

In a way, it is the duty of each of these officers to compel the attendance of children between seven and fourteen years of age upon school, and the trustees are subject to a fine for not doing so.

The Law Governing The Action of Trustees.

Section 4448, Kentucky statutes, provides that the trustees, during the two weeks preceding the opening of the school, shall visit all the parents of school children in the district, and urge upon them the ne-

cessity of prompt and regular attendance of their children.

The following section provides that the trustees shall meet at least once a month during the session to discuss, among other things, the attendance and how to increase it. The Law Governing The Action of Parents.

Section 4521 provides that every parent, guardian, or other person having control of a child between and 14 years of age, unless excused by reason shown, shall be required to send it annually to some public, private day or night school at least eight consecutive weeks.

Fines. The penalty for delinquency is fine of not less than five or more than twenty-five dollars for the first offense, nor less than ten or more than fifty dollars for the second, and every subsequent offense, and the cost of suit.

There is further provision for punishment, by a fine of not less than ten or more than fifty dollars of an trustee, or president of the board of education, for failure, after complaint has been made, to prosecute in good faith, within ten days after a written notice has been served on him by any taxpayer in the district or city.

The Truant Officer.

In 1904 the legislature went still further, and provided for the election by the board of education, in each city of the first, second, third and fourth class, of truant officers for each 8000 pupils, or fraction thereof. His salary is to be paid by the school tax levy, at a rate of not less than \$1 nor more than \$2.50 for each school day.

He has the same authority to enforce attendance upon the city schools that the trustees have in the country.

Laws Not Enforced.

With such provisions it would seem that the law could and would be enforced, but it is not. The failure to enforce it lies chiefly at the door of the truant officer, or of the board, where no truant officer has been appointed, or of the district trustees. These have it in their power, primarily, to inquire into cases of delinquency, and to prosecute the guilty parties.

FRANCES SIMRALL RIKER, President of the Kentucky Federation of Woman's Clubs.